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KIDNAPPING IN SEATTLE.

TWO PROMINENT BUSINESS MEN TAKEN AWAY SECRETLY

By Private Detectives—The Prisoners are Released and Their Captors are Brought to Seattle as Prisoners—The Case in the Courts This Afternoon.

SEATTLE, Sept. 11.—In broad daylight yesterday, R. B. Albertson, the well-known lawyer, of the firm of Preston, Albertson & Donworth, and Wm. E. Bailey, the prominent Seattle capitalist, proprietor of the Press-Times, and president or stockholder in half a dozen financial institutions, were kidnapped by M. C. Sullivan and two of his detectives.

Albertson and Bailey were driven in a closed carriage through the streets of Seattle, down Grant street bridge, and out to Black River Junction, to take the train for Tacoma. When the train came into the station there, Judge Burke and Chief of Police Rogers, two or three officers and half a dozen friends of Bailey and Albertson, were aboard, and the kidnappers were arrested for assault. Bailey and Albertson were rescued and brought back to the city, with the tables turned and the kidnappers as prisoners.

The abduction was the outcome of an attempt to arrest Albertson on a charge of receiving some of the notes and bonds stolen by his cousin, Edward Albertson, absconding teller of the Tacoma Fidelity and Trust Co. The warrant was defective and Albertson resisted; Bailey joined in the resistance, and the men were kidnapped. When the party came back from Black River, Sullivan and two of the deputies, McKay and Evans, gave bail. Their trial, on a charge of assault, will take place this afternoon, when some interesting developments are expected.

TO AID RAPID TRANSIT.

Minister Bowell's Statement Regarding Oriental Mails.

OTTAWA, Sept. 11.—Minister of Customs Bowell stated to your correspondent to-day in connection with the rapid transit mail service between China and London, via the Canadian Pacific, that it was expected that arrangements would soon be perfected by which a fast Canadian Atlantic mail service would be established in connection with the Canadian Pacific system, placing the through route continuously under British control. The Dominion Government's offer, he said of an annual subsidy of half a million dollars was still open to any company willing to undertake the service. He was of opinion that as England was equally interested with Canada in the perfection of the rapid transit system from China to Great Britain and the East, the British Government should contribute by way of subsidy to the Atlantic service towards making the success of the undertaking an established fact. With this object in view, the British Government will be urged to co-operate with Canada in completing this fast mail service by contributing towards the subsidy to be paid for a fast Atlantic mail service.

NOTES FROM THE EAST.

Recent Happenings in the Various Parts of the Dominion.

A young Englishman named James Killsby committed suicide at Calgary, yesterday by hanging himself.

Charles Collingham, living in Claremont Place, Toronto, was arrested, charged with attempting to violate his 14-year-old daughter.

The petition against the return of James Conmee, Liberal, as member of the Ontario Legislature for West Algoma, was dismissed with costs.

R. Hickerson and Charles H. Niel were arrested in Toronto on Monday for repeatedly infringing the law prohibiting speaking in Queen's Park.

A vessel, supposed to be the bark Camella, is wrecked off Saltaire, Cape Breton, with the loss of all hands. The vessel was owned by L. & J. Tessier, of St. John's, Nfld.

Two men, Milmay, aged 21, and Wing, aged 19, employees of the Malleable Iron Works at Oshawa, went out on the lake for a sail. The weather became rough and they capsized the boat. Wing's hat has drifted ashore. Both have been undoubtedly drowned.

The Government has decided to increase the depth of the new Canadian canal at Sault Ste. Marie to 19 feet, at an additional cost of half a million. The deepening of the harbor and approaches will add another half a million, making the total cost of the work about four millions.

M. L. Messett, aged 72, whose wife died recently, eloped from Seaforth with Jane Kennedy, aged 12 for London, where they were to be married. The pair were arrested at the first station and brought back. The girl was wearing a travelling outfit provided by the aged lover. Messett was committed for trial on a charge of abduction.

Munderloh, German Consul-General for Canada, recently interviewed the Minister of Agriculture in regard to immigration matters. It appears that the Hansa Steamship Line which he represents recently landed a large number of Russian immigrants at Quebec. The agent there discovered that 17 in the party were paupers, and under an act passed in 1869, but apparently rarely enforced, took steps to rid the town of these undesirable arrivals. On the occasion referred to the agent threatened to bond the steamer if this class of immigrants were brought. Munderloh asked for a ruling as to the authority of the official and expressed his willingness to cable forbidding the further departure of this class of emigrants if the Minister expressed any decided opinion. Carling promised consideration.

NEW YORK REPUBLICANS.

Collector Fassett Nominated as Candidate for Governor.

ROCHESTER, N.Y., Sept. 10.—At the Republican convention yesterday permanent organization was effected, James M. Varnum, being elected chairman. Andrew White withdrew his name as a candidate for the governorship. J. Sloat Fassett, lately appointed collector of the port of New York, was first nominated for the governorship, and all

other candidates withdrawing his selection was made unanimous.

The remainder of the ticket is: Lieut.-Governor, Hon. John Vrooman; Secretary of State, Eugene F. O'Connor of Brooklyn; Comptroller, Arthur C. Wade of Jamestown; State Treasurer, Ira M. Hedges of Rockland county; Attorney-General, William E. Sutherland of Monroe; State Engineer and Surveyor, Verplank Colvin.

The platform re-affirms the principles on which the victory was won in 1888, and also approves the legislation of the fifty-first congress, particularly commending the administration of President Harrison, which, the platform declares, commands the confidence and respect of American people by its intelligent and efficient conduct of public business in all departments, by the thorough and successful management of the vast transactions of the treasury, and the brilliant and conservative treatment of foreign relations.

With regard to revenue legislation, both as to tariff and administrative acts, the platform declares that a just and proper application of the policy of protection has been carried out.

The policy of maintaining gold and silver on a parity is also commended.

The pension plank favors the fulfilment of all the pledges given to soldiers of the Union; the speedy construction of the Nicaragua canal under an American charter is also approved as essential to national defense and interstate commerce.

The platform also commends the enforcement of the alien contract law, indorses the late laws on immigration, indorses the Fassett (New York) law, and condemns the evasion of that act by the state administration of Governor Hill; it also maintains the full right of franchise, insists on the suppression of trusts, etc., and condemns abuses in the civil service.

Another plank supports the intervention of the government to secure the oppressed of foreign nations equal rights under those laws, with particular reference to cruelty to Jews by Russia. An appeal is made to New York State to redeem its Government from discredit, caused by the maladministration of the Democrats. The platform also denounces among other things the action of Hill with regard to the World's Fair.

ALL ON THE SELL.

Kootenay Miners Advised to Work Their Claims, Not Sell Them.

Mr. Geo. Atchison, a former Cariboo miner, now a resident of Ainsworth, Kootenay, writing to a friend in this city goes after the miners of Kootenay hotly for their way of doing business—dealing in claims instead of working them. He says when he arrived in Ainsworth he was as green as a swamp willow, there being 25 different kinds of silver ore. He has looked at many claims and find that most of them have very small showings on the surface, and there has been nothing done to see if there is anything below. The mining law works badly there. A miner gets a whole year to do his assessments, and he generally does nothing but watch the record office to find out when some party records a new find. Then there is a rush to the place and claims are staked off all around.

Nearly all the locations, he says, have been taken up to sell, and if a sale is made the party who buys wants to sell again. In times gone by in Cariboo, says the writer, the miners used to locate a claim to work it for what they could get out of it. When the miners of Kootenay decide to do the same it will make a great change for the better.

The people of Victoria think it will take a large amount of capital to develop these mines. But that is not so for he has not seen a claim at Ainsworth that half a dozen miners could not have opened, as most of the high grade ore is near the surface. He could name half a dozen claims in Cariboo that cost more hard cash than all the claims in Ainsworth camp. In his humble opinion, says Mr. Atchison, what the miners want to do is to give up the idea of making a sale, unite and work their claims themselves. If a company of good miners cannot make a mine pay no capitalist can do so. That he says has been demonstrated to his satisfaction in Cariboo. One good miner is worth more than all the tin horn capitalists that are all on the sell. There are about 140 miles of claims recorded and ore is not being taken out of any of them in a workmanlike manner. To allow one man to hold as many claims as he pleases and do nothing on any of them is very bad for the whole mining country.

FOR CONSTANTINOPLE.

RUSSIA MOVING TROOPS TO THE FRONTIER.

Ready for a March to the Balkans—Germany Amused by the Dardanelles Affair—Celebration in the Gamblers' Paradise—The Labor Congress.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The number of troops engaged in the Russian army manœuvers in the Governments of Kief, Podolia and Volhynia is about 100,000. They are all drawn from the interior, and there is no diminution of the great frontier garrisons, scattered along the Austro-Russian boundary. The manœuvres are attended by the leading military commanders in European Russia, and press representatives, both foreign and native, are excluded. The St. Petersburg and Moscow newspapers will be supplied by the Government with such information as it is thought proper to give. It is known that the manœuvres include the feature of educating the troops to familiarity with smokeless powder, and that special attention is given to the efficiency of the new rifle recently adopted by the Czar. A correspondent who has been visiting the Russian south-western frontier at Bessarabia as far as the Danube, says that troops are rapidly arriving and in large numbers. This would be the base of departure for a Russian army advancing toward the Balkans and Constantinople. At Tietch, in Kief, four regiments were quartered where last year there were only two. At Vatkovo and Kilio five regiments had recently arrived, in addition to the men already there. At Kagul three regiments arrived about a week ago, and at Jalpuch, reinforcements of 7000 men have recently taken up their quarters. Troops are pouring in at the same rate in other villages. The places are of little consequence apart from their situation, where an army of invasion would naturally concentrate. In view of these facts the correspondent concludes that Russia intends at no distant date to make across the Danube for Constantinople, and that her preparations show that this time she means to have a force sufficient to overcome all obstacles.

SOPHIE GUENSBERG.

A Russian refugee in London is authority for the statement that the report from St. Petersburg of the death of Sophie Guensberg, the Nihilist, is fictitious, and that there is good cause to believe that the woman has been dead for several months, that she was privately executed in prison in order to prevent any public expression of sympathy, and that the present report has been given currency in order to dispose of the troublesome inquiries. This at least is the general belief of the refugees.

MONACO'S CELEBRATION.

A dispatch from Monaco says that principality was the scene of great rejoicing and a general jubilee yesterday on the occasion of the second anniversary of the accession of the reigning Prince Albert. Monte Carlo was gaily decorated, the little army turned out for inspection and religious services were held.

GERMANY CHUCKLES.

A Berlin correspondent says that there is a good deal of quiet satisfaction in high quarters with the situation in the Dardanelles and the fact that England, which has been holding aloof from the Triple Alliance, may now have to beg the assistance of the Alliance to stop the course taken by Russia. There is no probability, however, that Germany will interfere as long as the question at issue is confined to the passage of the straits by the Russian vessels of war or otherwise.

INCREASE IN WAGES.

The plan of the English Government for increasing the wages of dockyard employees, will involve an additional expenditure of £100,000 a year. Liberal leaders denounce the move as a bribe to the workingmen to vote the Conservative ticket.

THE EIGHT-HOUR DAY.

The vacillation of the Trades Union Congress on the subject of an eight-hour working day, has caused unpleasant surprise among the working classes, among whom the sentiment in favor of shorter hours is stronger than the wish for higher wages.

EASTBOURNE RIOTERS FINED.

The authorities gathered in a large crop of fines to-day as a result of the riots at Eastbourne in connection with the Salvation Army. It is believed that hereafter there will be less trouble.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Schifferstadt, in Rhenish Bavaria, has been nearly destroyed by fire. The disaster originated in the saw mills, and notwithstanding all efforts the flames spread rapidly, converting a flourishing town into ashes.

A VALUABLE CARGO.

Two Hundred Thousand Dollars Worth of Seal Skins Found Here.

A part of the seal skins brought in by the sealing fleet of this port leaves this evening by the steamer City of Kingston for Tacoma, thence to Montreal by the N.P.R., C.B. & Q. and the Grand Trunk. The companies have arranged for a special train of ten cars to take this valuable cargo across the continent. Eight carloads will leave by the City of Kingston this evening and the rest will leave in a few days. The whole is valued, at the present prices of skins, at upwards of $300,000. This is the most valuable cargo that has ever crossed the continent from this country. Mr. E. E. Blackwood, local agent of the N.P.R., and Mr. Frank W. Parker, of the Burlington route, arranged for the shipment.

The gun club will hold a tournament on the 26th inst.

Simpson's bon ton tailoring parlors, 86 Government street. Dress suits a specialty.

COLONEL CANTO.

The Leader of the Victorious Congressional Army in Chili.

Col. Canto is 40 years old. He commanded a battalion in the war with Peru and greatly distinguished himself. To his military tact, bravery and ability as a leader in that war he owed his promotion to the rank of Colonel. He is one of the most able officers of the army. He is short of stature and of swarthy complexion. When trouble was brewing between Balmaceda and

his congress Colonel Canto proposed a toast to the constitution and the three powers it established—the legislative, the executive and the judicial. Balmaceda ordered his arrest and Canto suffered several months' imprisonment and was finally sent to the north of Chili in exile. When the revolution broke out Canto escaped and immediately joined the Congressional party and was put at the head of the fast forming army. The wisdom of the choice had been apparent. He felt that he was leading one of the most righteous revolutions that ever took place in South America. He fought as he felt. He will now undoubtedly be promoted to the full rank of General. While he will not be the highest in rank, there being several veteran generals still alive, he will be the idol of the country.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

J. E. Jenkins, of Nanaimo, came down to-day.

Capt. Lloyd, of Port Townsend, is at the Oriental.

Thos. McNeely, of Ladner's Landing, is in the city.

P. Sabiston, of Nanaimo, is registered at the Oriental.

A. M. Bullock, of Vancouver, is in the city on business.

Mrs. Bridges has moved to 196 View street, near the school.

Robt. Irving returned this morning from a trip across the Sound.

U. S. Consul Myers and Mrs. Myers have returned from the Mainland.

S. M. Robins, Superintendent of the New Vancouver Coal Company, Nanaimo, is in town.

Revs. Macleod and McRae have returned from the meeting of the Presbytery at Westminster.

William Wilson and wife returned last evening from Harrison Hot Springs where they left the family for a short stay.

Sir Donald A. Smith, president, and Mr. E. S. Clouston, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, will be in Victoria next week.

Fred Macgurn leaves to-morrow on an extended business trip to the Mainland cities. He will be absent some weeks in the interest of the Mutual society.

Rev. Father Van Nevel returned home this morning accompanied by Rev. Father Altholfe. The latter will relieve Rev. Father Donkele at Kuper Island school.

J. A. Munro, general freight and passenger agent, U. P., Omaha, and wife and B. Campbell, western freight agent, U. P., of Portland, were at the Dallas last evening.

President Van Horne, Lord Mount Stephen and their party arrived at Vancouver yesterday. They have been over the C.P.R. lines in Manitoba and the Northwest, including the Calgary & Edmonton road. From Victoria they will make a trip to Puget Sound.

Dr. Francis O. St. Clair, chief of the Consular Bureau, Department of State, Washington, has been in Vancouver for a few days, inspecting the commercial agency and arranging for Mr. Ewing's successor, Frank H. Pierce, of New Hampshire, who has been for some years in the U. S. consular service in Cuba. The doctor is expected in Victoria this evening.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

BASEBALL.

The present state of the weather does not look promising for to-morrow's baseball games, but the game between the V.A.C.s and James Bays will come off if it is at all fine. The clubs are as follows:

V.A.C.S	POSITION.	JAMES BAYS.
Lenfesty	pitcher	Coffman
Huxtable	catcher	Hannan
Scott	1st base	Wishart
Hayes	2nd base	Widdowson
Smith	short stop	Williams
Robinson	3rd base	Franklyn
Maldrem	left field	Hewlett
Gouge	centre field	Borthwick
Askew	right field	Jackson
Partridge	reserve	Lormer

In all probability the double umpire system will be introduced for the first time in Victoria. A gentleman from the Sound and Mr. Fell will introduce it.

CRICKET.

The Victoria Club have been unable to obtain a team to go to Seattle to-morrow so the return game has been abandoned.

The Edmonton N.W.T. team wants a game with Victoria on October 10th.

THE AMPHION.

Capt. Hulton to the Rescue—When Bobnobbing With the Khedive.

ALEXANDRIA, Aug. 10.—On Thursday the 9th inst., Mr. Ramsay, chief officer of the British steamship Coventina, arrived here in an open boat, and reported that his steamer was aground on an outlying reef off Spongers Cove, 150 miles to the westward of Alexandria. Mr. Ramsay stated that the vessel grounded at four o'clock on Sunday morning during a dense fog, and that he had left her on Monday morning for Alexandria, in order to ask for assistance in trying to get the ship off. The report was made to Admiral Bromfield, the harbor master, and he immediately communicated with Rear-Admiral Lord Walter Kerr. As Mr. Ramsay had stated that a large number of Bedouins had assembled on the beach close to the ship, that no firearms or other means of defence were on board the Coventina in case of an attack from the Arabs, and that the vessel was short of fresh water, Captain Hulton, of the Amphion, the guardship here, was communicated with, and it was decided that the Amphion should proceed to the scene of the wreck, towing a lighter with the necessary appliances for floating the ship, and taking a number of Arabs to assist in the work. Captain Hulton was at this time attending a levee at the Khedive's palace, and the Amphion lay in the inner harbor moored bow and stern. The fires were all drawn, various parts of the machinery were being overhauled and the usual stores and held guns had been landed in the arsenal. It was half-past ten when the orders were received on board the Amphion to get up steam, and proceed to sea, but shortly after three in the afternoon the ship was clear of the harbor, towing a large sailing craft behind her, en route for Spongers Cove, having in the interval got up a full head of steam and received all her stores on board.

The Amphion arrived off Spongers Cove early next morning, but no sign of the Coventina being discovered, and several small "sponger vessels" (i. e. ships employed in gathering sponges for which the cove is celebrated), being sighted, Capt. Hulton bore down on one of the small craft, and by means of an interpreter communicated with her master. This man, who was a Greek, stated that the Coventina had floated off about noon the day before, and had proceeded to the eastward, under her own steam, and apparently uninjured. Thinking, however, that the Coventina might later on have been grounded again by her master, owing to the water gaining in her holds, Captain Hulton steamed along the coast in search of her, but on arrival off Alexandria this morning at daylight found that the vessel had already arrived in safety. The Coventina had no difficulty in reaching Alexandria. She is commanded by Capt. Arnott, is 1063 tons register, and is owned by Messrs. Hannay, Boyd & Co., of Newcastle-on-Tyne. She was from Blyth, bound for Alexandria, with a cargo of coal, consigned to Messrs. Dervieu, of Alexandria.

Pacific Coast Coal and Iron.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—Among the arrivals in the city last night were Robt. Ramsay, superintendent of H. C. Frick & Co's great coal mines and coke works at Connellsville, Pa., and R. Bentley, secretary of the Ohio Iron and Steel Co., of Youngstown, Ohio. They compose one of three prominent eastern parties now exploring the Pacific coast to look up the coal, coke and iron resources with a view of manufacturing coke, pig iron, and steel. One of these parties has been in California for some time, the other is in the northwest, and Secretary Bently and Superintendent Ramsay have just arrived from the north after a three weeks' careful inspection trip. They visited all the big coal mines of Washington and Oregon, and also inspected the Denny, Skagit, Guage, Snoqualmie and other iron mines. Millions of dollars are behind them. Andrew Carnegie is one of the owners of the Connellsville mines, and Frick, Carnegie & Co., are well known as among the most extensive iron and steel manufacturers in the world. They are now making nickel-steel armor plate for war vessels in course of construction. Supt. Ramsay and secretary Bentley have collected several hundreds of pounds of iron ore and forwarded it east to be tested. They are here now to ascertain where the coal landed here comes from; to see what California's coal, coak and iron resources are, and to learn whether the establishment of a great iron and steel manufactory would be warranted here. A reporter had a long talk with them. They said: "From Fairhaven down we have found good coking coal, especially from the Wilkinson mines, on Puget Sound. As to iron, we are not yet certain, for our tests have not been completed. Our investigations are not yet sufficient to satisfy us that there is a supply of bessemer ore, but we think there is. We are satisfied the Pacific Coast has coal to manufacture good coke."

Nightingale's Sangs a Selfsame.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Sept. 10.—Rev. Taylor S. Nightingale, pastor of the largest colored Baptist church in the United States, created a decided sensation by advising his flock to arm themselves with Winchesters for the purpose of exterminating the whites. Those who know what influence the average negro preacher has over his people won't appreciate the effect of such advice. A large number of his people actually adopted his advice and have purchased repeating rifles. Another faction of the better element opposed him, however, and for opposing him the pastor excommunicated this faction, and at a church meeting last night those who belonged to it were ordered to leave. On their not going quickly enough, the pastor and his supporters attempted to eject them, and a rough and tumble free fight took place. To-day a dozen or more of each faction were arrested on warrants, and the fight waxes bitter.

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The U. S. Navy.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—An announcement of naval changes has reached here which will increase the squadrons in the Pacific. Secretary Tracy has decided to send the Yorktown from the squadron of evolution around the Horn for a permanent station in the Pacific, and the Petrel from Rear-Admiral Gherardi's squadron through the Suez Canal to the Asiatic stations. He has also detached the Enterprise from Admiral Gherardi's squadron for service at the naval academy to take the place of the Wyoming as a training ship for cadets. The officers and men of the Enterprise will be detached and distributed between the Yorktown and Petrel before their departure for their new stations. Admiral Gherardi is then to have two vessels from Acting-Admiral Walker's squadron, which with the Philadelphia and Kearsage will give him four good ships. Another vessel, probably the Newark, is to be detached from the Alaska squadron and ordered as flagship to the South Atlantic station. Rear-Admiral Benham was to-day ordered to hold himself in readiness to command that station. The Bennington is to be added to Walker's squadron. He will then have five vessels to Gherardi's four, and with these it is the purpose of the Secretary to have evolutionary exercises continued throughout the winter and spring.

Los Angeles Incendiaries.

LOS ANGELES, Cala., Sept. 10.—A band of incendiaries with thievish propensities is at present operating in this city. Three times during the present week the Hotel Figuera has been set on fire. Last night's fire was started in the car stable near by. It was no sooner extinguished than fire started in the stable opposite. When the engine got back from this place, the engine-house was found to be on fire, the fire having been started in the hayloft. The bureau in the firemen's room, where all their valuables were kept, was broken open with an axe.

Minister Romero.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—Senator Felipe Arllano, one of the most prominent members of the Mexican Congress, who is in the city, says the report that Minister Romero is to be recalled from Washington is ridiculous. "Mexico has no other man who could fill the place as well," he said. "He understands more thoroughly than any one else the exact relations between the two nations. Diaz likes him, and likes him where he is."

Picked up at Sea.

BOSTON, Sept. 10.—The steamship Georgian, which arrived to-day from Liverpool, had aboard Captain Nelson, his wife and two children and the crew, numbering 25, of the British bark Quebec, which vessel they had abandoned at sea on Sept. 9, dismasted and waterlogged. The Quebec was bound to Liverpool from St. John, N.B., with a cargo of salt.

A Canadian's Suicide.

LYNN, Mass., Sept. 10.—John F. Cox, aged 77, at one time professor in a Canadian college, killed himself yesterday by jumping from a third story window. He pinned a note on the lapel of his coat, in which he bade good bye to his friends and stated his intention to end his life.

The Pensacola Sails.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—U.S.S. Pensacola Capt. Kautz sailed for Honolulu this morning. It is predicted that she may proceed before long to Chili to relieve the cruiser Baltimore.

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IMPOUNDED—One sorrel horse, white streak on face; one brown roan horse, star on forehead. Will be sold at auction on Wednesday, September 23, at 12 o'clock noon, if not redeemed and pound charges paid on or before that date.

By order of Mayor and Aldermen.

ANDREW SHAW, Poundkeeper.

September 10th, 1891.

NOTICE.

I HAVE COMMENCED A SUIT IN THE Mining Court to cancel a bill of sale of my half undivided interest in the mineral claim "Yankee Girl," in Toad Mountain, dated 3rd February, 1891, to Peter D. Forbes, the transferee, has given to consideration therefor.

MICHAEL KEALEY.

Nelson, 3rd Sept., 1891. sd3-tw-c&w

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TIME TABLE No. 14,

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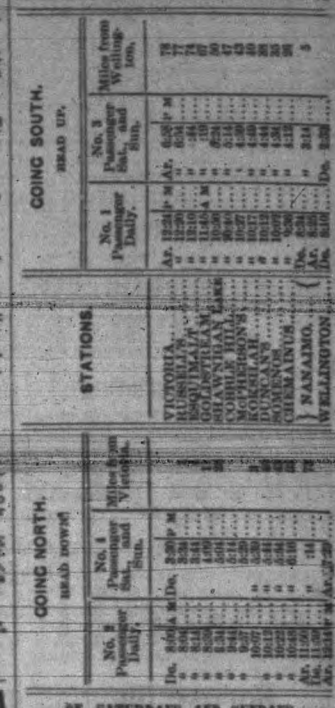

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WM. MANSON, Box 35 Nanaimo, Nanaimo, B. C., Aug. 13, 1891.

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FOR THE ERECTION of a two story frame dwelling house on Sylvia street (near Boyd), James Bay, for T. Cormack, Esq.

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Through the Dardanelles.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—A dispatch dated from Batoum says: Eleven shipments of war stores have traversed the Dardanelles this year. All volunteer cruisers have taken heavy guns for the fortifications of Vladivostock, and several foreign vessels have been chartered to carry stores and ammunitions. Turkey yielding to Russia shows that the treaty of Paris is a dead letter so far as Russia is concerned, as a strong Black Sea fleet is being rapidly collected. The diplomatic triumph of the Russian ambassador at Constantinople shows plainly how Russia is paving the way to achieve her long cherished ambition for the possession of Constantinople.

Blaine the Favorite.

ROCHESTER, N.Y., Sept. 19.—Twelve World reporters left New York on Tuesday night and reached this city before many of the delegates to the Republican Convention were out of bed. They had been instructed to ask each delegate questions as to whom they would support as candidate before the National Convention. Before the State Convention was called to order, the work had been completed, and the result was: Blaine 659, Harrison 16, Charles Foster 2, William McKinley 1, Alger 1, absent 6, non-committal 107. Fifty-six marked non-committal admitted they favored Blaine, but did not wish to be quoted.

Relief for the Sufferers.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—The subscription lists for the relief of sufferers by the Park Place disaster were closed at a meeting of the relief committee. The total sum subscribed was $27,535. The committee reported that out of 62 families investigated 47 required help. In 24 cases the committee recommended that the money be paid in one sum, ranging from $100 to $1000, and in 23 cases that it be paid in instalments extending over periods ranging from six months to six years.

The Searles Will Case.

SALEM, Mass., Sept. 10.—Those in a position to be familiar with the Searles will case say that the prospect is good for a compromise before the hearing comes up two weeks hence. They say that the Southern Pacific stock is held together under this will, and rather than take the risk of breaking up this large block of stock parties will pay roundly, and that Timothy Hopkins is really the only one who has any case that will bear any sort of judicial investigation.

Did a Rushing Business.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—Lee Low, a popular Chinaman, both among his own countrymen and the whites, was arrested this morning, charged with aiding and abetting the landing of Chinese at this port. It has been learned that Low has been engaged in this business for many years which has proved very profitable to him. He lived in style, and when Mrs. Langtry was last here, entertained her at several dinners.

An African Adventurer.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—Lieut. V. C. Brant, formerly an officer in the service of the British government, but now son-in-law of Masuna, King of the Umbongrato nation, Africa, who has about 4,500 000 subjects, is in this city. Brant, while exploring in Central Africa, was employed to organize a military system for Masuna and married Princess Tmselm, heir apparent to the throne.

Panama Canal Investigation.

PARIS, Sept. 10.—In the police search for evidence in connection with the investigation of the affairs of the Panama Canal company, the offices and residences of Eiffel, and others of the principal contractors, were searched, and many papers seized, sealed and handed over to the prosecutors.

England and the Behring Sea Dispute.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—The St. James Gazette referring to the effects of the McKinley bill says: "There is some satisfaction in learning that German industries are injured more than English. Even under a rigorous protective tariff the workmanship and quality will tell at times."

Big Failure of Co. Broke.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—Alexander & Son, corn brokers, have failed. Their liabilities are £1,870,900 and assets £27,000. They attribute their failure to losses incurred since last May in speculations in grain.

Receiver for U. S. Publishing Co.

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—Percival Steele, as receiver, this morning took charge of the United States Publishing company's property. Liabilities are about $40,000, and assets the same.

Charge Against Kiamil Pasha.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 10.—A commission has been appointed to investigate the charge against Kiamil Pasha of plotting to dethrone the Sultan.

Ex-Congressman Clarke Dead.

WATERTOWN, N.Y., Sept. 10.—Ex-Congressman Clarke, of Neenah, Wis., died at Theresa this morning. He will be interred at Neenah.

Italian Statesman Dead.

LONDON, Sept. 10.—The death is announced of Quintino Sella, the Italian statesman, at the age of 70 years.

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Naval Notes.

The sloop Acorn has been docked at Sheerness for repairs. The estimates for the current year set apart a sum of £27,407 for the Acorn, £7589 of which is for labor, £2360 for materials, $130 for contract work, and £1267 for establishment charges. She is expected to be again brought forward for the Pacific in place of the Satellite which will not be ready for some time on account of the decision of the Admiralty to fit her with a new armament which will necessitate the replacement of the present mountings.

The next trip of the Tyne will be from Portsmouth to Malta with troops, and later on, about December, she will leave England for Colon with relief crews for ships on the Pacific station, one of the vessels to be re-commissioned being the Pheasant, gunboat, which was commissioned nearly three years since at Devonport.

THE OAR.

WE DIDN'T KNOW IT.

Cotsford and Paine, the two Victoria oarsmen are said to be training hard privately, saying as little as possible and keeping out of sight of everyone. Both men are in good condition, but they will not talk of what they intend to do. They may possibly come over to Westminster, and if they do should push some of the other oarsmen for places.—Ledger.

M'LEAN GROWING LESS.

It is reported that a professional oarsman named McRoberts accompanied by his trainer arrived in the city from Toronto on Tuesday, and stated that it was his intention to get a match with Alexander McLean, if possible. McRoberts and his friend are now in Vancouver. When here he went out in a light boat on the river and rowed about for some time, trying the current and nature of the stream. If he means business McLean will probably be ready to negotiate.

McLean is viewed with much disfavor by Victoria sportsmen. Very few of them have any confidence in in him, and little Victoria money will be found to back him this year. Hanlan and O'Connor are high in favor, and the chances of Ten Eyck's success are regarded as very good.—Ledger.

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NOTICES.

COLLEGE DEPARTMENT—

Boarders assemble September 5th.

Day Boys assemble September 7th.

UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT—

Ladies and Gentlemen preparing for the University matriculation assemble September 7th at 2:30 p.m.

The Principal is now daily at the College receiving names and consulting with parents. au17-1m

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Dated this 27th day of August, 1891.

WILLIAM ETHRIDGE.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Victoria for a transfer of the license of the Caledonia Saloon, situate corner of Cormorant and Store streets, from Joseph Carpenter to us.

Dated 12th day of August, 1891.

JOSEPH MEUNIER.
JOSEPH H. BROWN.
HENRY FOX.

au12-1d

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Board for a transfer of the license of the Gordon Hotel, Johnson street, from Charles Brewster to myself.

GEORGE DOGHERTY.

Victoria, August 6th, 1891. au7-1m

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LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty (640) acres of land, more or less, in the Goldstream District, described as follows:—Commencing at the northeast corner of the claim marked L H J; thence east 80 chains to a post marked J T; thence south 80 chains to a post marked T; thence west 80 chains to a post marked T L; thence north 80 chains to the post marked T L H J, being the point of commencement.

LEWIS THOMAS.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 7, 1891. se7-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres in Ruperts District as follows:—East ½ of Sec. 32, Tp. 4.

SKENE LOWE.

Victoria, Aug. 31st, 1891. se

LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land, situated on Barclay Sound, Alberni District:—Commencing at a post at the S.W. angle of the Indian Reserve No. 1; thence south following the eastern limit of land applied for by Jno. Braden 80 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 80 chains, more or less, to the Indian Reserve; thence west following the south limit of the Indian Reserve 40 chains, more or less, to the place of beginning; containing 320 acres, more or less.

HENRY T. FLETT.

August 18, 1891. su31-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres on the right-hand bank of Skeena River, about five miles above the Aberdeen Cannery:—Commencing at a post marked "C. and running 40 chains in a westerly direction; thence 40 chains in a northerly direction up the bank of a small river known as Kitick's; thence easterly 40 chains; thence southerly 40 chains to post of starting. Also commencing at a post on Kitick's River, on the right-hand bank, following the bank of Skeena River 40 chains in a southerly direction; thence 40 chains in westerly direction; thence northerly 40 chains; thence down the bank of said river to starting point.

R. CUNNINGHAM & SON.

September 1, 1891. se4-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land in Barclay Sound, Alberni District:—Commencing at a post on southeast corner of land applied for by J. Stamford; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

A. G. McCANDLESS.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 2, 1891. se4-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, situated on the Iartia River, Alberni District:—Commencing at the southeast corner of land applied for by E. McCoskrie, jr.; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south to the place of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

ALEX. CAMPBELL.
GEORGE JONES.

Victoria, B.C., August 19th, 1891. au28-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty (640) acres of land, more or less, situated in the Goldstream District, described as follows:—Commencing at the northwest corner of the claim marked L; thence north 80 chains to a post marked H; thence east 80 chains to a post marked H; thence south 80 chains to a post marked H; thence west 80 chains to a post marked L H, being the point of commencement.

J. HOLLAND.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 7, 1891. se7-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty (640) acres of land, more or less, situated in the Goldstream District, described as follows:—Commencing at a post marked L 80 chains from the northeast corner of lot 56 in the Sooke District; thence north 80 chains to a post marked L; thence east 80 chains to a post marked L; thence south 80 chains to a post marked L; thence west 80 chains to a post marked L, being point of commencement.

W. L. LYNN.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 7, 1891. se7-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase one island in the Eckstall River, Coast District, about 16 miles from its mouth, and two miles south of the Big Falls, containing 150 acres of land, more or less.

P. HERMAN.

Port Essington, Aug. 12, 1891. se7-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty (640) acres of land, more or less situated in the Goldstream District, and described as follows: Commencing at the northeast corner of the claim marked H; thence east 80 chains to a post marked J; thence south 80 chains to a post marked J; thence west 80 chains to a post marked J H L; thence north 80 chains to a post marked J H, being point of commencement.

CHAS. E. JONES.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 7, 1891. se7-2m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 776, 777, 786, 787, 852, 910, 941, 942, 960, 961, 965, 970, 971, 993, 1005 and half of lot 993 in the City of Victoria.

WHEREAS the Certificate of Title of Freeman Meiss to the above property bearing date the 13th day of April, 1885, has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate; Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued, unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LOUGHAY,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office,

Victoria, B.C., August 20th, 1891. au20-1m

LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described piece of land situate near Barclay Sound, Alberni District:—Commencing at a post at the southeast corner of land applied for by John Bradley; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains to place of beginning. Containing 320 acres, more or less.

GEO. W. HAYNES.

Alberni District, Aug. 28, 1891. se4-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend applying to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase the following described land, situated in Rupert District, and being the N.W. ¼ Sec. 28 and the N.E. fractional ¼ of Sec. 29, Tp. 6, containing 320 acres, more or less.

T. NICHOLSON.

Victoria, Sept. 2, 1891. se5-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres on a small creek about five miles above Aberdeen Cannery, known as Kitick's:—Commencing at a post on right hand or west bank, marked "C," and running 40 chains in a northerly direction up the bank of said stream; thence 40 chains in a westerly direction; thence 40 chains in a southerly direction; thence easterly 40 chains to starting point. Then commencing at a post on the left-hand bank, running in a northerly direction up bank of said stream 40 chains; thence easterly 40 chains; thence southerly 40 chains; thence westerly 40 chains to point of starting.

R. CUNNINGHAM & SON.

September 1, 1891. se4-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I the undersigned intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate on Compton Island, Work Channel, Coast District:

Commencing at a stake about one mile from Work Channel on east side of Compton Island; thence west 80 chains; thence north to water line; thence following water line in a southeasterly direction to point of commencement, Containing 400 acres, more or less.

R. J. WALKER.

Victoria, Aug. 31, 1891. se4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date we the undersigned intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situated on Compton Island, Work Channel, Coast District:

Commencing at a stake at southwest corner of Indian Reserve, thence north 80 chains; thence west to water on Work Channel; thence in a southeasterly direction to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

R. G. CAVALEY.
F. R. E. CAVALEY.
C. GILPIN.

Victoria, B.C., Aug. 31, 1891. se4

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land on a small creek known as Kitick's, about five miles above the Aberdeen Cannery, right-hand bank of Skeena River:—Commencing at a post on right-hand bank of said stream, running northerly along bank of said stream 40 chains; thence westerly 40 chains; thence southerly 40 chains; thence easterly 40 chains to point of starting. Also commencing at a post marked "B," on left-hand bank of said stream, and running northerly 40 chains; thence easterly 40 chains; thence southerly 40 chains; thence westerly 40 chains.

J. CUNNINGHAM.
S. DEAN.

September 1, 1891. se4-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land in Metchosin District:—Commencing at the southeast corner of Lot 10 Goldstream District; thence west 20 chains; thence south 100 chains; thence east 10 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 10 chains; thence north 60 chains to the place of commencement, containing 100 acres more or less.

(Sgd) J. PHOENIX.

29th July, 1891. ly31-3m-w

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands on Hernando Island, in Sayward District:

Commencing at a post at the northwest corner of W. Blaney's pre-emption claim; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains to the place of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

WILLIAM HARRIS.

Vancouver, July 30th, 1891. ly30

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date we the undersigned intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate on Compton Island, Work Channel, Coast District:

Commencing at a stake at southwest corner of Indian Reserve, thence north 80 chains; thence west to water on Work Channel; thence in a southeasterly direction to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

R. G. CAVALEY.
F. R. E. CAVALEY.
C. GILPIN.

Victoria, B.C., Aug. 31, 1891. se4

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ADVERTISEMENTS of To Let, Wanted Etc., under these heads, four lines or under 25 cents for two insertions and 25 cents each additional insertion. Cash to accompany order.

TO DRESSMAKERS AND MILLINERS—A young man would make favorable arrangements with a lady with small capital to start business. Address with full particulars, "Dry Goods," Times office. Sep 11-3t.

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WANTED—Steelman, to manufacture and sell wholesale our cider, made without apples; no capital required; excellent wages; particulars 4 c. Investigate this New Process Cider Co., 1435 State street, Chicago, Ill. s9-1m

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WANTED—Galvanized iron workers, $4 per day to good men. H. Cooley, Kingston street. sep8-4t

WANTED—A girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. Joseph Hamilton, Cadboro Bay road, directly opposite Charles street. se5-tf

WANTED—A purchaser for lot 120 feet deep in Johnston Nursery, opposite D. W. Higgins residence; price $800. Address P. O. Box 301. au25

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TO LET—New house, 8 rooms, on Chatham street above Quadra; rent $25 per month. Apply to Crane, McGregor & Boggs. au25

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THE LAW AND THE BOODLERS.

The last number of "Grip" has for its leading cartoon "Miss Canada" and the hero of the Pacific Scandal. Premier Abbott. Miss Canada is represented as holding out at arm's length a scroll on which is printed "THE LAW OF THE LAND." Her face is turned toward the aforesaid hero of the Pacific Scandal, or the "pure air shaft of Canadian politics," as the Globe calls him. Miss Canada, with a magnificent scrowl on her face, observes to the "pure air shaft of Canadian politics" that, "your proposed reforms of the civil service are well and good, Mr. Premier, but here is the law and I want it executed!" We quote the law:

Revised stat. Canada, cap. 161, sec. 54—Every one who, being employed in the public service of Her Majesty or of the Lieut-Governor of any province, or of any municipality, and entrusted, by virtue of such employment with the receipt, custody, management or control of any chattel, money or valuable security, embezzles any chattel, money, or valuable security intrusted to or taken into possession by him by virtue of his employment, or any part thereof, or in any manner fraudulently applies or disposes of the same or any part thereof to his own use and benefit, or for any purpose, whatsoever, except for the public service, etc., feloniously steals the same from Her Majesty or from such municipality, and is liable to fourteen years imprisonment.

Now we are told that the Senate has passed the "Frauds Bill," which the Premier in his capacity as "pure air shaft," put forward as a sure preventive of corrupt relations between officials and contractors. In view of the existence of the clause quoted above, this looked much like encumbering the statute-book with a useless act. But Premier Abbott and the old women of the Senate have taken pains to aggravate the farcical nature of their handiwork. We are told that before the bill was passed by the Senate, "an amendment was made to except from the penalties of the act cases where presents were made by persons having dealings with the Government, to the wives or families of officials with the express written permission of the head of the department to which the official is attached." In other words a loophole was carefully made in the bill large enough to admit all the boodling that Tory heads of departments may think necessary or advisable. What a guffaw this amendment must elicit from Langevin, Chapleau, Haggart, *et al!* In any case the Premier's pure air measure would have been looked on with suspicion as a hypocritical pretence at purification, but this special exception clause will leave no room for doubt on that point. If Premier Abbott had been in earnest he would have taken steps to enforce the existing law instead of trying to befool the public with a farcical act of this sort.

A CENSUS PROBLEM.

A correspondent of the New Westminster Columbian has evolved a remarkable puzzle from the census figures. He points out that the returns for 1891 give the whole electoral district of Westminster a population of 34,690. This includes the two cities, Vancouver and New Westminster and several rural settlements. Now Vancouver is given a population of 13,685 and New Westminster 6641, subtracting which from 34,000 leaves the rural population of the district at 13,674. But the census of 1881 gave the same Westminster district a population of 15,417, and as the only city in the district at that time was New Westminster, with a population of 1500, the rural population must have numbered 13,917, or 243 more than it does in 1891. Can it be possible that in ten years the country people of the district have so decreased? If these figures are correct, there is something wrong with the flourishing Fraser valley. But it is hard to believe that the figures are correct, and that while the urban population of Westminster district has increased from 1500 to 20,326, the rural population has decreased from 13,917 to 13,674.

WHY DO THE HEATHEN RAGE.

If there is anything we would not admit if we were engaged in the stultifying occupation of defending Canadian Toryism it is that Blake, Cartwright, Wiman and Farrer wielded a greater influence than Foster, Haggart, Sir Hector Chapleau, Sir Charles Tupper, McGreevy, and other boodlers and incompetents. But that, in effect, is what the Empire and Vancouver Telegram are doing. We quote the Telegram re "The Census—Our True Policy:"

Blake, Cartwright, Wiman, Farrer—the whole gang have been preaching blue ruin and hopelessness and helplessness in Canada, and progress, wealth and comfort in the United States.

Now if it be true that these men have preached "blue ruin," and if it be true that the Tory leaders and journals have preached the reverse, to what conclusion do we arrive? The conclusion is, that the Grit leaders have wagged their tongues more effectively than the Tory leaders; that, in other words, of the two kinds of leaders the former have exercised the greatest influence; that, to follow the idea a little further, the arguing of Cartwright as compared with that of his opponents has been as the sound of a trumpet to the penny whistle. This prompts us to inquire what might not the Tory party have been had Cartwright & Co. been Tories? Could these men have been induced to use their persuasive powers in the Tory behalf the chances are that the United States would be agitating the question of annexation to Canada? The wonder to us is, that the Old Man should never have attempted to purchase their support. It was characteristic of him to buy where he could not persuade. If these men were purchasable the Old Man missed it that he did not offer them a railroad or two, or a canal *a la* Postmaster-General Haggart. Proceeding to trace our contemporary further, what do we find? Here it is:

The Grit party in Canada is made up practically of knaves and fools. The knaves did the preaching and the credulous fools did the believing. Convinced that they were being ruined in Canada, Grits in thousands migrated to the United States.

Our contemporary is emulating the energy of diction of the Liberal press, a style which all along it has not merely deprecated but launched its fiercest denunciations against. We look upon it as extremely fortunate for the grand old party that these "knaves and fools migrated to the United States." Had they not done so the den of thieves at Ottawa would not now be in existence, and Canada would have been saved a trip through the Valley of Humiliation. If it be true that none but Liberals migrated to the States it follows that had they remained in Canada the Tories would have been snowed under last March by two of three hundred thousand majority. Instead, therefore, of reviling these wretches for seeking homes in the States, the Telegram should exclaim, "good riddance!" and it would do so had it the wit to perceive the logic of the situation. Speaking of "duty," the Telegram goes on to this effect:—

The duty of the Conservative party, and of all loyal Canadians whether Conservative or not, at the present crisis in Canadian affairs is plain. Their duty is to strengthen the hands of the Premier and the Minister of Justice in their determination to turn out the rascals who have effected a lodgment about the departments at Ottawa, no matter what their rank or nationality or party may be, and to purify the administration.

What has come over the Telegram that it should talk in this wild, reckless way? Is it really true that "rascals have effected a lodgment about the departments at Ottawa?" When did the Telegram reach this conclusion? Who are the rascals that have effected the "lodgment?" Why does not the Telegram mention them by name? Aye, there's the rub! As we pointed out yesterday, the Telegram imports its opinions from Ottawa. It dare not stigmatize Uncle Thomas even as a scoundrel until it shall have first procured the sanction of the committee which is now sitting on his case. If that committee shall adjudge Sir Hector a rascal, the Telegram will echo it. If it should declare him a saint, the Telegram will concur.

We can inform the Telegram that it is altogether wrong in its premise that Cartwright, Wiman & Co. have been in the habit of "figuring down" Canada. These men are on record as figurers up of Canada. Their speeches and their writings are all to the effect that what is probably the richest portion of the continent owes its inertia to the abominable trade policy of Sir John Macdonald. If this be unpatriotic then so much the worse for patriotism. Among the sayings and writings of Messrs. Blake, Cartwright, Wiman, Farrer—"the whole gang,"—we very much question whether the Telegram can produce a solitary sentence relative to "hopelessness and helplessness in Canada" except in the sense of being the consequence of the Tory policy. The Telegram is frantic. The prospect of having the pap bottle withdrawn is too much for its equanimity.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Speaking of the "dangerous class" which in the opinion of a good many honest people, is labor, the Seattle Telegraph mentions that the tax commissioners of Ohio have been asked to explain some peculiarities about their assessment. "One," says the Telegraph, "it was discovered, had forgotten to list a small item of $400,000 of Standard Oil stock. Another, in a moment of abstraction, had over-looked $700,000 of Adams Express shares. A third had failed to mention 500 shares in the Starch trust. There are some people so evil-minded as to hint that these gentlemen belong to the really most dangerous class."

McKinley, says the Oregonian, makes a telling point by quoting from the London Times of March 2, 1862 on the Morrell tariff. Said the Times at that time: "Protection in these matters is only another name for suicide." McKinley now cites the fact, according to the Oregonian's version, that under this "suicidal" policy "the United States in thirty years has developed at a rate that outstrips Great Britain, and to-day is producing articles of nearly all staple kinds at much lower prices than England used to charge us for the goods." If under this suicidal policy the United States have outstripped Great Britain, whence the necessity of the addition of McKinleyism? Is it so that it is impossible to have too much of a good thing? A year from next November will tell the tale.

Seattle Telegraph: When the American miller grinds wheat for export he is entitled to a draw back of 99 per cent of the duty he paid on the grain. Now let's figure. Canada's surplus of wheat this year is placed at 33,000,000 bushels. The duty is 25 cents a bushel. If our millers along the border buy of Canada, grind up their wheat for export and get the rebate on duty, the farmer's protection would amount to 24¾ mills per bushel. Will some American wheat grower put this fact to McKinley on the stump?

Yes, put it to him and ask him if this is not class legislation? And this reminds us that the Oregonian asks "when the demands of the people's party will end?" We should say, or hope at least that they will not end until legislation is got which is as fair to one class of producers as another. Capitalized interests have had things all their own way for years. Theirs has been a hogging game. Not until they cease to hog will the people's party, it is to be hoped, cease to demand legislation that is not wholly favorable to Plutocrats.

THE TRAMCAR SERVICE AND THE TRESTLES.

TO THE EDITOR: I have refrained from taking any notice of the personal attacks which have been made upon me through your columns on account of my successful efforts to thwart the conspiracy which for a day or two seriously crippled the tramcar service of this city and vicinity. Misrepresentation and abuse I anticipated; and the anticipation was not disappointed. A person in my position must expect to be criticised; but how unjust some of the critics have been will soon be evident, even to your mind, Mr. Editor. I will let my acts speak for themselves and rely on results to justify my course.

But a communication signed "Esquimalt" appeared in your issue last evening which reflects so untruthfully upon the Tramway Company and its management, that silence would be no longer excusable.

Your correspondent charged that the trestle near the Canteen is in a dangerous condition. In company with Mr. Gore, C.E., and Mr. Dimock, the track foreman, I visited both trestles this morning and append the reports of those gentlemen.

Your correspondent's charge of neglect is equally baseless. Within the past seven days the canteen trestle has been examined three times to my certain knowledge, and each time has been reported safe. His charge of overcrowding the cars is the only one that has the semblance of truth, and if he would take his stand on or near one of the cars when a rush is made for seats he would understand that the company's employees are powerless to prevent overcrowding. Take the case of Esquimalt. To that lovely town [illegible] proceed in groups of 20 or 30 on several cars, but as evening approaches all seem actuated by a common impulse to return at once and rush into and overcrowd the first car that happens to arrive at the stand, in spite of the protestations of the employees. To say that the company are indifferent to the public comfort and safety is met by the statement that five cars are now on the way from the East, upon the arrival of which it is intended to make the trip from Esquimalt to the Jubilee Hospital without change, and to improve the service on other lines.

The fact is, Mr. Editor, that the traffic has outgrown the facilities of the company to handle it. Beginning with four cars we have now eleven, and still there are times when we cannot accommodate one half the people that require transportation. Time will mitigate this evil and when I add that the company have property which represents an outlay of nearly $300,000, I do not think that the accusation that they are neither enterprising nor alive to the importance of the responsibilities they have assumed can be sustained.

D. W. HIGGINS, President N.E.T.L. Co.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 11, 1891.

D. W. HIGGINS, Esq.,

DEAR SIR,—I have inspected trestles on Esquimalt road [illegible] and find them sound, in good repair. I made extensive repairs on trestle at canteen some three months ago, and have examined same repeatedly ever since. No longer ago than last week I examined all bolts and braces, and to-day found them tight and in good repair. Yours,

W. DIMOCK, Foreman.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 11, 1891.

D. W. HIGGINS, Esq.,

DEAR SIR,—As you requested, I have this morning examined the two trestles on the Esquimalt branch of the tramway. I find them both in good condition, and consider them perfectly safe. The bolts are all right, and not a spike in the sway braces has even started.

Yours truly, T. S. GORE.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province briefly Noticed.

New Autumn Dress Goods, Plain and Fancy, at the City House.

Several cases of fireworks arrived from the east last evening for the agricultural society.

According to Grip, Premier Mercier has a nose and a forehead which bear a striking resemblance to the same features in Premier Robson.

People say the Dominion Hotel is the place for a 25 cent meal. Twenty-one meal tickets for $4.50.

M. Katzaner, local manager for J. & A. Boskowitz, of New York, yesterday made a shipment to that house of over $5000 worth of hides.

If you want your horse, harness, buggy or phaeton to have special care, send them to the Club stable, telephone 493.

Warden John, of the provincial jail, has about 40 guests at Topaz avenue now. Eight of these are awaiting the sitting of the speedy trials court.

All members of Far West Lodge No. 1, are requested to attend in their hall Saturday the 12th inst., at 12 o'clock noon, for reception of Seattle lodges. By order, Emil Pferdner, K. R. and S. All sojourning brethren are cordially invited to attend.

There will be a meeting in Oddfellows Hall, Douglas street, to-morrow evening of those interested in the formation of a new lodge I.O.O.F. This will make the fourth lodge of this old order in this city. It is expected the new lodge will commence with a membership of between 60 and 70.

POPULAR PLAGIARISM.

An Offense Which Is Very Often Committed Unconsciously.

A preacher of New York has been accused of plagiarizing from a brother in the pulpit two sentences which he introduced into one of his sermons recently, and considerable fuss is being made about the affair. This charge of plagiarism, says the Boston Traveller, is being made very frequently against writers of late. There surely never has been a time when so many authors have been accused of stealing from others of their craft as to-day. We have no reason to believe that they are less honest than they used to be, and there surely must be some reason for this curious state of things. This reason may be found in the fact that the world is rapidly growing old, it has, by the way, been growing old for a good many years.

It is only within a few years since we discovered that mother earth had, with feminine unscrupulousness, deceived us basely with regard to her age. Consequently new ideas are scarce; our ancestors gleaned the field of originality, and left us a rich legacy of thought which we have both consciously and unconsciously appropriated as our own. Besides, the human mind as it advances by the process of evolution, becoming more penetrative and absorbing, seizes upon ideas spontaneously, as it were, and not at mental volition of the thinker, and is frequently deluded into thinking that these ideas are self-generated.

It is a familiar fact that one may unconsciously plagiarize, not only the thoughts that one hears expressed, but the very words that give them expression. It is almost impossible to trace the subtle workings of the mind of the highly developed and sensitive individual, susceptible to the most delicate impressions. There are many minds so highly cultured and so susceptible to such impressions that they are almost clairvoyant. Indeed, it is not at all improbable that as we advance in civilization clairvoyance will become one of the highest faculties of the educated man. In the case of the New York minister, who has been accused of plagiarism, it is probable that, though he may have appropriated the words of another, he did so unconsciously, and ought, therefore, not be condemned or censured for it.

Samoan Cattle.

A pair of curious Samoan cattle were exhibited at Kansas City a few days ago. They are exceedingly small, the male weighing only about one hundred and fifty pounds, while the female weighed two hundred and fifty pounds. Both are fully developed and have very large heads and long horns. These little cattle are only about two and one-half feet in height, and are of a reddish mouse color marked with white. They are destined for Columbus, O.

An Aged Elephant.

The king of Siam celebrated the one hundred and forty-eighth anniversary of one of his elephants the other day, and the animal was as coltish as some of the herd only fifteen years old. This is the oldest elephant with any authentic record of his age, and the only signs of decay appear in his ears. He can't flop them quite so briskly as of yore.

The worst cases of scrofula, salt rheum and other diseases of the blood, are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889.

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Oriental Hotel, Vancouver.

Passengers going east can have lunch, free 'bus to and from hotel, and use of parlors six hours, for 50 cents. jy31-3m

Real Estate Transfer.

Mr. Simon Leiser has purchased the piece of property located at the corner of Store and Johnson streets; price, $19,000. This is a material advance on the price paid for the same property about a year ago.

Still in It.

We are requested to state that Jackson & Mylius have a full line of jewelry, diamonds, watches, etc., in new and elegant designs. Repairing and manufacturing a specialty. 76 Govt. street, Colonist building.

Funeral of the Late Mr. Morrey.

The funeral of the late James Chambers took place this morning at 9 o'clock from Lockhart's undertaking rooms and shortly afterwards from the R. C. pro-cathedral. The members of the longshoremen's union, of which the deceased was a member, attended the funeral in a body.

For One Week

D. Campbell & Co., the leading tailors, will offer for one week only, an extraordinary reduction in suits made to order. Observe the following bargains: $30 suits for $25; $35 suits for $30; $40 suits for $35. Pants from $8 to $12, formerly $10 to $14. This is the last chance for this season.

A Long-Felt Want to be Supplied.

Twenty more cottages to be built at once at James Bay on tram line. Easy terms.

5 at $900—$75 down, balance on time
5 at $1000—$100 " " "
5 at $1250—$150 " " "
5 at $1500—$250 " " "

YOUNG & BARTLETT.

Another Handsome Trophy.

The silver trumpet presented by the Gutta Percha Manufacturing Company, of Toronto, as a prize at the firemen's tournament, arrived from the east last evening. It is a very handsome instrument, beautifully engraved. It is on view in Mr. D. Hart's window on Government street, along with the other trophies to be presented.

Coming to the Front.

The firm of H. F. Heisterman & Co., are contemplating removing at an early date to the store now occupied by Hastie & Erskine. Since the business amalgation of the latter firm and Mr. Sehl's house, Hastie and Erskine will remove next door. Their place will be fitted up to meet the requirements of Heisterman & Co.

For the South.

The steamer Walla Walla sailed for San Francisco to-day with the following cabin passengers from this port: Mrs. E. Coor, Miss Cook, Mrs. Knight, Mrs. G. Leiser, Mrs. McMillan, Mrs. E. Stone, A. Heak, Max Leiser, H. Mavison, Mrs. P. Humphreys, N. H. Redmond, J. Wilshire, Rev A. G. Gordon, C. D. Vincent, E. A. W. Mack, Miss G. Stanley, A. Cook, J. Lenz, Mr. Simpson and wife, A. D. McKenzie.

The California Wine Co.

This is a firm that has been recently established, and is a local company intended to supply the retail trade of the province. The company is composed of local men with capital, who will import direct, not only from California, but from the European wine markets, all the best brands of wine. Already there is quite a trade being done. The office is on Douglas street, in the Turner block.

Washington Industrial Exposition.

For the Western Washington Industrial Exposition at Tacoma, the Union Pacific will sell on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays commencing September 10th, round trip tickets for $4.70. Tickets good for one admission to exposition and limited to five days from date of sale. Children under 12 half fare. For further information call on C. G. Rawlings, General Agent, 100 Government street.

Harvest Home Festival.

The first harvest home festival of the congregation of St. Barnabas church took place last evening. The little church was tastefully decorated throughout with flowers. The service was entirely musical, and an excellent programme, which was highly appreciated, was presented. The sermon was delivered by Rev. W. Scholefield, of Esquimalt. Mr. H. P. Johnson, the organist, acquitted himself creditably.

Not a Good Change.

It is reported that the U. P. railway intend changing their steamer schedule from a morning to an evening service. They at present leave here at 7 o'clock in the morning returning at 3 o'clock the next morning. Under the present arrangements Victoria has a twice a day sevice to the Sound, as the Kingston runs out of here in the evening. It is reported that the U. P. will run their steamers on the same schedule as the Kingston. It would be too bad to do this, as it would be robbing Victoria of one of her daily services.

Firemen's Ball.

The visiting firemen will be royally entertained by the firemen of this city, who are straining every effort to make things comfortable for the boys. They have undertaken to arrange for a grand ball to be given under the auspices of the Northwestern Firemen's Association. Over 200 tickets will be given to the visiting firemen, and outsiders who wish to attend will be able to obtain them at $2.50 from the firemen. Assembly Hall, where the ball is to be held, will be handsomely decorated, and the best orchestra obtainable will be present.

Police Court Notes.

All the evidence was heard in the case against Dan Templeton for stealing $15 from Henry McDonald. His honor reserved dicision until Monday in order to further consider the evidence. The case of assault brought by Mrs. Catherine Campbell against James Walsh and the counter suit were both remanded till Tuesday next, as Mrs Campbell was too ill to attend court. Wm. Allan, charged with having stolen some money from the till of the New York Hotel, was sentenced to four months' imprisonment with hard labor. Burt Cole, on remand, from yesterday for having attempted to steal a quantity of lady's clothing, was after being severely reprimanded and warned, dismissed.

Wanted.

An apprentice to learn the millinery business. Enquire of Mrs. Bowness, Lansdowne House. sep11-1

Vernon vs. The Times.

On application of Mr. Bodwell (Mr. Gregory for Times consenting) the trial of this action was fixed for Wednesday, the 23rd. inst., before a judge with a special jury.

The May Family Have Gone.

The trial of Mr. and Mrs. Fried yesterday on the charge of retaining possession of Hattie May against her father's wishes was the talk of the town last evening. Many opinions were expressed as to why Fried had been arrested, and how it was that Mrs. Fried was also arrested. There was some disappointment expressed when it was learned that the girl, the chief actor in the affair, was not called. Mr. Tayle's prediction that the May family would leave town was not long in being decided. The son left for home by the City of Kingston last evening, and this morning May, his family and Hattie left for home by the steamer Olympian. The people's curiosity has now been aroused as to what will be done in the case, but they will have to wait till next Thursday, when the case comes up again.

The Most Northern Farmer.

The following letter appears in the American Agriculturist:

I am the most northern farmer in America, a thousand miles by dog-train in winter to reach the government postoffice on the outskirts of North-western civilization. Do not wonder if mails are slow and I do not get one-half my papers; some one gets them.

Money is not known here. We have in spite of our latitude, 59 north and the same longitude as Salt Lake City, one of the finest and most agreeable climates north of latitude 40. All common grains do well, wheat excellent. Vegetables are unsurpassed by anything I saw in the East. I weighed six field turnips last fall that turned the scales at 110 pounds. The heaviest was 22½ pounds. It is not unusual that we can pick from the pile of potatoes 50 that would weigh 100 pounds. It is a splendid country for horse-ranching. Cyclones, blizzards and hail storms are not known. I have been here 11 years, with only one poor crop.

E. J. LAWRENCE,
Peace River, N.W.T., Can.

Gamewell Company's Gift.

Frank C. Stover, Pacific coast agent of the well known Gamewell Fire Alarm Company, writes Chief Deasy: "I have the pleasure to inform you that I have this day forwarded to your address, express prepaid, the Gamewell trophy in the shape of an ice water swing set. I trust that the committee will be pleased with it. I did not have it engraved as I thought that you would prefer to have that done after it was won, in order to have the name of the winner thereon. If you will kindly attend to this, and send me the bill, I will forward the money to meet such expense promptly. I hope to be with you at the tournament."

Secretary Lindley cleared the trophy from the customs this morning, and it proves in every respect worthy of the Gamewell company. The trophy is a massive pitcher, handsomely engraved and porcelain lined, swinging in a stand of very unique and heavy pattern. Accompanying it is a gold-lined goblet. The team that wins it will have the handsomest prize of the tournament.

Catching a Thief.

For some days past, Mrs. Johnson, proprietress of the New York hotel, has been missing money from the office till, and this morning the case was concluded by the arrest and conviction of the thief. The first money missed was a $5 gold piece on the 4th inst. Then the following morning a $5 bill was abstracted. Sergt. Levin was at once notified and after eliciting all the information and circumstances connected with the stealing, proceeded to lay his plans for the detection of the thief. He had a number of gold coins and bills marked. Mrs. Johnson and the night waiter were the only persons in the plan. A strict watch was kept over the till, but the thief was not detected in the act of taking any money, although he was seen several times near the till. The next money taken was some time after two o'clock on the morning of the 9th, this time the marked $5 was taken but the thief was not seen. The amount of money in the place was then altered, so as not to arouse the suspicions of the culprit, all being marked. In the meantime the sergeant had been keeping a strict look out every night from the opposite side of the street, with a pair of night glasses. Last night he resumed his watch, and this morning early he received the signal for which he had been watching. He immediately walked into the hotel and arrested William Allan an employee. Allan was searched and the marked bill that had been missed on the 9th was found in his pocket. Another bill, the one he had stolen this morning, was found on the kitchen floor. He was immediately arrested and brought before Police Magistrate Belyea, when he pleaded guilty to the charge, and made a statement saying that he was very much in need of money at the time; that he was married, and only stole on the impulse of the moment. He was sentenced to four months' imprisonment at hard labor.

Committee Meeting.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of the firemen's tournament committee held in the City Hall last evening, D. R. Ker, Esq., presiding. A letter was received from Collector Milne authorizing the free admission of firemen's apparatus during the tournament. The contract for music was after some discussion awarded to Mr. Wolcott, who will supply 16 pieces for $306. The price was over $100 below the local tenderers. Several objected to the contract being awarded to Mr. Wolcott as they argued that the citizens who had subscribed towards the tournament should receive the work. W. R. Chestley's offer of $40 for the privilege of erecting a grand stand on Yates street was accepted. The programme submitted by Chief Deasy was accepted and the collecting committee's report was received with applause.

Several carloads of new styles antique oak bedroom suites, sideboards, extension tables, hall racks, etc., just received by Weiler Bros.

CANADA WESTERN CHOSEN

By the Committee on Hotel Accommodation as the Best Site.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of citizens to-day to receive the report of the committee on hotel accommodation. Mr. T. R. Hall presided.

There were 11 sites offered for the hotel, the people offering them being H. J. Lindsay, Joseph Heywood, G. A. Walter, Heisterman & Co., R. Finlayson, A. DeCosmos, F. G. Richards, jr., B. C. Land and Investment Co., Mrs. Evans of Colonist Hotel, C. T. W. Piper and Wm. Gordon.

The following report of the special committee on hotel accommodation was read by the secretary:

Your committee appointed to enquire into the most suitable site and cost of erecting a first-class hotel in Victoria, beg to report: That we have given this matter our best and serious consideration; that in starting in on our labors we found considerable difference of opinion existing amongst us as to the various sites proposed, and after discussing the matter at three meetings, and from personal inspection, we have come to the unanimous conclusion that the site of the Canada, Western Hotel, Government street, is the cheapest property offered, and the most suitable for our hotel. The following observations will explain why we have so decided:

1. Its nearness to all car lines; close proximity to the Park, easy access to steamers, both inner and outer wharves; its freedom from dust; and good drainage.

2. The view is good, and from the upper portion of the building would be as fine as could possibly be obtained in the city.

3. The plans by well known, reliable architects provide 187 rooms which we think ample accommodation for the requirements.

4. Much of the preliminary work has been done, which would effect a great saving in time in completing the building.

5. From all we can gather this site would be the most profitable one.

6. A good revenue can at once be derived from the stores, provided in the plans, which would be a strong argument in favor of this site. We therefore recommend that the C. W. scheme be taken up by this meeting. We submit the following as an estimate of the money required to complete the proposed hotel:

Capital stock of C. W.		$200,000
Of which has been subscribed	$110,000	
50 p.c. of this has been paid	55,000	
50 per cent. to be called	55,000	
Balance not issued	145,000	
Total		200,000
Estimated amount required to complete the building		$ 30,000
Land (cost)	$47,500	
Building 187 rooms	230,000	
Excavation, plans, etc.	20,275	
Furnishing	24,000	
Superintendence	5,000	
Clerk of Works, incidents, etc.	11,215	
Total		$ 30,000

ESTIMATED REVENUE.

7 Stores at $— per annum	$1,750
Bar at $— per month	720
Cigar stand and barber	1,000
Net amount to be held by hotel proper to pay 8 per cent. on total capital	20,400
Interest on $— at 8 per cent.	7,100

These figures the committee think quite within the mark as the hotel would only have to earn $1000 per month in addition to income from stores to be a profitable investment.

You will observe by the above figures that if the C. W. stock is taken up $130,000 in round figures must be provided to complete the building and the furnishing. We have looked into the act under which this company is incorporated, and we believe that the borrowing powers are equal to the paid up capital. We propose that if the necessary amount can be obtained by subscriptions to have the capital stock increased. Failing this we are confident that no difficulty would be experienced in borrowing upon favorable terms the amount needed to complete the hotel. We suggest that not less than $1000 worth of shares be issued to any one person. Those who cannot take this amount can assist the enterprise by voting free taxation and water for say 20 years. As this enterprise is inaugurated from patriotic motives only, for the benefit of Victoria city and her citizens, we strongly urge the citizens to take action as we are of opinion from the numerous expressions to the committee that many of our capitalists are ready to materially aid in bringing about the very worthy object for which you are called together to-day. In conclusion we would point out the great urgency of this question, and we sincerely trust that ere the year 1892 closes, we shall be able to look with pride upon a building which will not only afford the desired accommodations but be a credit and an ornament to our beautiful city. All of which is respectfully submitted.

A. C. FLUMERFELT,
Chairman.
GEO. BURNES,
On behalf of the committee.

THE PRESBYTERY.

Meeting of the Presbytery of Columbia—Rev. Mr. Scoular Moderator.

The Presbytery of Columbia met at New Westminster on Tuesday, the Rev. W. J. Jaffrey, moderator, presiding.

Rev. Mr. Scoular was elected moderator for the ensuing year.

Rev. Mr. Macleod gave an interesting report of his attendance at the General Assembly held in Kingston.

A committee was appointed to examine G. R. McKay and T. G. McLeod, as students in divinity, and the examination was found satisfactory.

A petition was presented from West New Westminster Church, asking for a separation from Sapperton, and for leave to moderate in a call to a minister, with stipend of $1200 and a free manse. Messrs. C. H. Clow and J. B. Kennedy were heard in reference to the matter. A committee, consisting of Rev. T. Scoular, Rev. Mr. Jaffrey and Mr. McNab, was appointed to visit the two congregations interested and to report to a special meeting of the presbytery to be held in St. Andrew's Church, Westminster, on Tuesday, 22nd September, to consider financial matters and to arrange for the supplying of Knox church, Sapperton, in the event of separation.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

A Narrow Escape.

"I would probably have been in my grave to-day if it had not been for Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. For two years I suffered from bowel complaint and became very weak and thin, but after using half a bottle of the Extract I was completely cured and have since had no return of the complaint."—Miss Hilton, 34 Huntley St., Toronto.

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EXAMINATION OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER

Before the Registrar of the Supreme Court — Questions and Answers — The Witness, on the Advice of Counsel, Declines to Answer Several Questions.

VICTORIA, Sept. 4, 1891.

Hon. Forbes G. Vernon sworn, and examined by Mr. Fell:

Q—You are the plaintiff in this action, Mr. Vernon, are you not? A—I am.

Q—What official position do you hold? A—The position of Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Q—Since when have you held that position? A—Since 1887.

Q—What officials are under you? (Objected to by Mr. Bodwell, but overruled.) A—The deputy commissioner Mr. Gore; chief clerk, Mr. John; bookkeeper, Mr. Woolridge; clerks, Mr. Bolton and Mr. Cuppidge; clerk of the record, Mr. Phipps; surveyor-general, Mr. Kanes; first draughtsman, Mr. Kay; draughtsman, Mr. Roberts; another clerk, Mr. Cathcart; messenger, Mr. Boyd. There is another draughtsman.

Q—Were these under you during the year 1890? A—Not all of them.

Q—Just state the names of those who were not in your employ in 1890? A—Cuppidge, Bolton Boyd, Roberts and another draughtsman.

Q—Do those officials all work under your instructions and authority? (Witness declined to answer under advice of counsel.)

Q—In that department are you responsible for their action? (Declined to answer.)

Q—Is the Attorney-General your counsel in this action. (Declined to answer.)

Q—Were you in the Province during the whole of last year? A—No.

Q—When did you leave? A—I left the beginning of August.

Q—Who held your position when you were away? A—The Hon. Mr. Robson.

Q—When did you return? A—The end of January, 1891.

Q—Mr. Robson represented you during the whole of that interval? A—Yes.

Q—Is Joshua Davies a friend of yours? (Declined to answer.)

Q—Are F. S. Barnard and R. F. Cunningham friends of yours? (Declined to answer.)

Q—Have these parties ever applied to you to purchase lands at Fort Simpson?

Mr. Bodwell—Which parties?

Mr. Fell—The three parties I have just named—Barnard Cunningham and Davies. A—They have.

Q—Frequently? A—Their applications are in writing.

Q—Have you got them with you, copies of them? A—I have the applications that were asked for.

Q—Will you produce them?

Mr. Bodwell—The names mentioned in the 4th and 6th paragraphs?

Mr. Fell—The ones I asked for were Cunningham Barnard and Davies, mentioned in paragraph 4.

Mr. Bodwell—We can get them, but it will take time to copy them.

Mr. Fell—We can go on for the present without those. When did you first see the article complained of, Mr. Vernon? A—The morning after it was published.

Q—What portion do you object to?

Mr. Bodwell—Decline to answer that.

Mr. Fell—What part of it do you say is not true? (Witness declined to answer.)

Q—Do you remember the date of Davies' application for Fort Simpson lands? A—The dates are on the applications.

Q—Yes, but you cannot produce them. Can you give us any idea when they were made? In the early part of the year, or in the middle of the year, or the fall of 1889? A—Some were in December, 1889, and some were in January, 1890, to the best of my recollection.

Q—Did you take any steps to ascertain whether they had complied with the Land Act? A—In what way?

Q—In taking preliminary steps required to purchase Crown lands? A—The applications were treated in a similar way to all applications of the same character.

Q—Then you took no steps to ascertain whether they had complied? A—I took no special steps.

Q—That means no steps of any kind? A—Ask me the question.

Q—Does not that mean no steps of any kind? A—Steps are taken invariably to see that the Land Act is complied with as nearly as possible and the application of Mr. Davies is treated in the same way as all similar applications.

Q—Was there an opportunity in Dec., 1889, for Mr. Davies to comply with the Land Act? Mr. Bodwell—Mr. Vernon declines to answer that; that is simply a matter of argument.

Q—Were there any means of communication in Nov. or Dec., 1889, by which Mr. Davies could have gone to Fort Simpson, or sent any one to have these deeds staked? (Witness declined to answer.)

Q—Was Mr. Davies' claim opposed? A—Mr. Davies' claim was opposed.

Q—When and by whom? A—Opposed by several parties in March.

Q—What was the result of their opposition? A—The opposition, as you term it, was simply unsupported protests against Mr. Davies being allowed to complete his purchase, although the 90 days had elapsed.

Q—Will you state where in the Land Act it is provided that 60 days is the time limit within which a protest has to be filed? (Witness declined to answer.)

Q—Is there such a provision? (Declined to answer.)

Q—Didn't you, in a letter, state that there was?

Mr. Bodwell—Produce the letter. This is a question anyway, which we decline to answer.

Mr. Fell—(Producing document)—Is that one of your letters relating to the subject matter of Mr. Davies' claim, opposed by Alexander and others? A—That is my signature.

Q—A letter written by you? A—A letter for which I am responsible.

Q—You requested answer that a little while ago?

Mr. Bodwell—It is in type-writing, how can he tell?

Mr. Fell—Was it dictated by you, Mr. Vernon?

Mr. Bodwell—Decline to answer.

Q—Was that letter not dictated by Mr. Gore?

Mr. Bodwell—We decline to answer.

Q—Where do you find authority for refusing to receive protests after 60 days as stated in that letter.—"At the expiration of 60 days notice, Mr. Davies made his formal application to purchase, and tendered 10 per cent. deposit, which was accepted as no protest had been filed within the time provided for that purpose?" Where is the time provided for that purpose? A—That is my interpretation of the act.

Q—Have you always refused to receive protests after 60 days?

Mr. Bodwell—Decline to answer.

Q—Have you always followed that interpretation of the Act? (Declined to answer.)

Q—Did you refuse to recognize the protest?

Mr. Bodwell—We decline to answer that; the letter speaks for itself.

Q—Did you refuse to recognize the protest? A—The protest was simply an unsupported statement which I declined to recognize.

Q—Did you give the parties an opportunity of supporting it? A—The Land Act provides redress for any party who feels himself aggrieved.

Q—Did you, or did you not, afford them a chance? A—There was no occasion; they had their own redress.

Q—What was it? A—It is not my business to teach lawyers the law.

Q—No, but it may be that your interpretation is different from ours. Will you produce that protest? A—I have got the correspondence that was asked for.

Q—Will you produce that protest to which this letter is an answer? A—Which letter?

Mr. Fell calls for letter of the 13th March, signed by Alexander, the original protest.

Mr. Bodwell—It can be produced at any time; it may be on file.

Witness—It has been overlooked.

Q—On the 14th March, the date you wrote this letter, had Davies paid his 10 per cent deposit? A—To the best of my knowledge he had, on the purchase money.

You don't know for a certainty? A—Departmental matters of that kind are left to the officers in charge.

Q—Yes, but I gave you special notice with reference to these payments of Davies or any parties applying for this land. A—A deposit of 10 per cent. was paid and accepted by the department on the 6th February for land applied for by Mr. Barnard.

Q—I am asking as to Davies? A—I cannot tell you the exact date of the 10 per cent. being paid by Davies, but it was before the protest to the best of my knowledge.

Q—When were instructions given to Mr. Davies to survey? A—Instructions? Upon the acceptance of his deposit.

Q—Who was appointed surveyor? A—Gray & Devereaux.

Q—Didn't you receive a letter enclosing Alexander's application with a check for 10 per cent. deposit? A—Very likely I did, but as I receive some 4000 or 5000 letters I cannot tell you the particulars of one.

Q—What reply did you send to that letter? (Objected to.)

Q—Didn't you receive a letter requesting an investigation into matters in dispute between Davies and Alexander and others? A—I received a number of letters.

Q—But did you not receive one dated the 28th, asking for an investigation? A—Who from?

Q—Asking the privilege of appearing and stating their claims?

Mr. Bodwell—Here is the letter—it speaks for itself.

Witness—What was your question?

Mr. Fell—(Having read last part of letter)—Did you hold any investigation in pursuance of that letter? Did you give Alexander and others an opportunity of appearing before you to prove that Davies had not complied with the Land Act? A—There was an investigation in March, 1891.

Q—But this letter is May, 1890? A—In May, 1890, there was no investigation held. No public investigation was held.

Q—Did you answer that letter? A—Be good enough to let me look at the letter. (Exhibited.) This letter arrived at the office some days after I had left for the interior engaged in the elections, on which I did not return for some weeks.

Q—Can you state when you did return? A—To the best of my knowledge it was about the 17th July. I cannot say whether the letter was answered or not, but I presume it was. If it was a copy can be obtained at the land office.

Q—Will you produce my letter of the 6th February? (Copy produced.)

Q—You returned, you say, in July from the election tour, and you left the Province soon after, did you not? A—I left the Province in the beginning of August.

Q—Was that last letter of the 28th May answered before you left the Province in August? A—I really cannot say; it would have been a very easy matter for me to have brought over all the correspondence—to have answered these questions with absolute certainty, if I had been aware it was within the scope of this examination.

Q—Can you tell from my letter of April whether you answered that letter or not? A—I presumed from the notice given that only certain documents were required to be produced; those documents I came prepared with. Now the examination has taken a very much wider scope, and questions are being asked with respect to dates, and so forth, which it is impossible for anybody to be exactly accurate upon.

Q—I have confined myself so far to letters between Alexander and myself. I don't wish it to be said that the examination has been widened into an unnecessary scope. If it is alleged that there is an answer I would like to see it, because I have never seen it so far.

Mr. Bodwell—You are asking us for letters in reply and our attention has not been called to that, and he has not looked it up to see.

Witness—There is not the slightest hesitation in producing any letter you want in connection with the whole matter. There is nothing to be hid, or anything to conceal, in any way, shape or form, but when you ask for any information, we get that information. If you had asked for more you could have got it.

Mr. Fell—I don't want too much; only just the letters and the answers. I don't suppose there was an answer to that. I received none. I want all the correspondence, all the letters in reply. There will be the application of Davies, Cunningham, Barnard and Mason, and the dates when they paid their 10 per cent. and surveys were made. When I say Davies, Alexander's matter affects Davies too.

Mr. Bodwell—Alexander's explanation is there, so all you want is that letter.

Mr. Fell—I want also, the dates of payment of 10 per cent., of the surveys, the dates of the 90 per cent., and the dates of the crown grants.

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REMOVAL.

Caledonian Dye Works removed to 56 Douglas St., between Fort and View streets. Cleaning, Dyeing and Repairing at reasonable rates. ROBT. C. WARD. aug13-1m

NOTICE.

From and after this date Moss street is closed, from Fairfield road to Dallas road, pending putting in sewer. A. J. SMITH, Chairman Street Committee.

June 27, 1891.

VICTORIA RICE MILLS

Store street, Victoria, B. C.

Millers of China and Japan Rice

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Rice Flour, Chit Rice, Etc.

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Delta Brand Family Flour, Superfine Flour Bran and Shorts

No. 64 & 66 Store St. Victoria.

NOTICE.

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Co'y.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the shareholders will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 7th day of October next at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated September 1st, 1891.

se2-td CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

NOTICE.

The Union Colliery Company of British Columbia (Limited Liability.)

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Dated September 1st, 1891.

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AFRICAN HAIR-DRESSING.

It Is Often Very Elaborate, Involving Much Time in the Work.

A limited wardrobe, such as befits the climate, may in a brief manner be stated as the general characteristic of African dress, says Peoples of the World. What little they wear is, however, in many cases peculiar enough to merit a few words, and is sometimes combined with an extraordinary fancy for improving on nature by disturbing their otherwise not particularly handsome countenances. Among the Mangajas, for example, it is the head upon which the greatest elaboration is bestowed. The most favorite form of dressing the hair is to take a couple of pieces of wet, pliable hide, and shape them into the form of ox or buffalo horns, after which they are allowed to dry. They are then fastened to each side of the forehead and the hair trained over them and plastered into position by means of grease and clay. Two horns are the favorite ornament, but sometimes only one is used; in the latter case the wearer looks like a black bipedal unicorn.

Others vary this style of hair-dressing by twisting up a number of locks all over the head into the shape of miniature horns, so as to cause a porcupine-like appearance in the practicer of this extraordinary style of head dress. Pigtails, so far as their short "wool" will allow, are also in vogue among some of this tribe. The women, as might be expected, are also by no means without fastidiousness in dressing and ornamenting their hair, but this is quite overshadowed by another effort at beautifying in which they excel, namely, in wearing the "pelele" or ring of ivory, metal, or bamboo, which is of considerable size, in their upper lip, the orifice for its reception being gradually enlarged from early girlhood until it can receive the full-sized ring, which, among the Mangania belles, constitutes the acme of female loveliness made perfect.

The wearing of this hideous ornament alters the whole appearance of the face and renders it impossible for the women to pronounce the labial letters. Hence a woman in this tribe speaks differently from the men. Some of the women even tattoo, bnt owing to the darkness of their skin this mode of decoration cannot get shown to advantage and is not very popular. It is not pleasant to record of a nation so fond of dress that they seemed to be entirely unconscious that in civilized eyes cleanliness is a virtue which ranks even higher than tattooing. They are filthy in the extreme. One old man denied that it was true that he had ever washed himself; he had really done so once, but it was so long ago that he could not trust his memory to say how many years had elapsed since that notable event. It is almost superfluous to add that skin diseases are, in consequence common among them and exhibit most persistent and virulent forms.

THE INDIAN'S MUSTANG.

Horses Were Introduced in America by the Spaniards and Some Escaped.

The Indian horses of the mountain and plains tribes were originally of that wild stock once found in vast herds all over the intracontinent region, and which had their beginning from those that strayed from the Spaniards in old Mexico, as there were no animals of that character on the continent until the Spanish conquest, if we except an extinct species found only as a fossil on the plains of Kansas. These were geological specimens long before the advent of the Indian, and of such a remote age as to bewilder the mind in its contemplation.

Even until the middle of the eighteenth century the Indians of the country east of the Mississippi used to laugh at the white man, who could not walk but must ride a horse. The Indian thought nothing of keeping up a "dog trot" all day, making his fifty and sixty miles during that time.

The wild horses of the American continent once roamed from the border of old Mexico as far north as Lake Winnipeg, says a writer in the Kansas City Star. Twenty-three years ago there were a great many wandering over the broad, grassy bottoms of the Cimarron, in southwestern Kansas; perhaps they are not all extinct yet. All the wild horses that I have ever seen were of a small stature—pony built in every instance—but possessing a wonderful amount of endurance; a tough, hardy animal, will fitted to perform the peculiar duties the Indians demanded of him. The savages are very hard on their animals, and unless their horses were constituted to "live on cactus and drink the green slime of the buffalo wallows" they would have become extinct probably long ago. When caught young they are easily broken, but if taken at an advanced age they are perfectly incorrigible.

I remember one that used to do duty on the old stage line between Ellsworth and Sterling, about seventeen years ago. He was the most vicious brute it has ever been my fortune to see. Whenever it became necessary to shoe him he had to be knocked down with an ax, and before he recovered his senses tied, and only in that condition would the blacksmith dare approach him. His endurance was something marvelous; his driver, the only man that could do anything with him at all, tried for years to wear him out, but without success, and he succumbed at last only to old age. I have ridden behind him many a time, but in momentary expectation of having my brains kicked out or dashed to pieces whenever he started down hill. His bones lie bleaching somewhere on the divide between the Smoky Hill and the Arkansas.

Perfumed for a Thousand Years.

The mosque of St. Sophia, in Constantinople, is always fragrant with the odor of musk, and has been so for hundreds of years, ever since it was rebuilt in the ninth century, the curious part of it being that nothing is done to keep it perfumed. The solution to the seeming mystery lies in the fact that when built, over one thousand years ago, the stones and bricks were laid in mortar mixed with a solution of musk.

B. C. Exhibits at Winnipeg.

R. E. Gosnell, who had charge of the British Columbia exhibit at eastern fairs last year, and also is performing the same service this year, was in Winnipeg last week on his way east. While here he conferred with the officials of the Winnipeg Industrial in reference to a British Columbia exhibit at the fair here; and it is now as good as settled that the Pacific province will be represented at Winnipeg. The British Columbia people generally make a success of what they undertake, and it may therefore be expected that their exhibit will form an important feature of the Winnipeg Industrial, while it will also be examined closely by Manitobans, who take a deep interest in the far western province. The exhibit, we understand, will consist of natural products and manufactured articles, special prominence being given to articles which are likely to be interchangable in a trade way between Manitoba and British Columbia. The latter province produces and manufactures commodities and wares which should be saleable in Manitoba, and these may be shown to advantage, with the object of encouraging interprovincial trade. The Commercial was the first to press for an exhibit from British Columbia at Winnipeg, and we may fairly claim that the influence of this journal has led to the addition of this important feature to the Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition.—Winnipeg Commercial.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 10.—Wheat is very heavy. California spot, 38s; cargoes off coast, 44s; just shipped, 44s; nearly due 44s.

Makes the Weak Strong

The marked benefit which people in run down or weakened state of health derive from Hood's Sarsaparilla, conclusively proves the claim that this medicine "makes the weak strong." It does not act like a stimulant, imparting fictitious strength from which there must follow a reaction of greater weakness than before, but in the most natural way Hood's Sarsaparilla overcomes

That Tired Feeling

creates an appetite, purifies the blood, and, in short, gives great bodily, nerve, mental and digestive strength.

"I derived very much benefit from Hood's Sarsaparilla, which I took for general debility. It built me right up, and gave me an excellent appetite." ED. JENKINS, Mt. Savage, Md.

Fagged Out

"Last spring I was completely fagged out. My strength left me and I felt sick and miserable all the time, so that I could hardly attend to my business. I took one bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it cured me. There is nothing like it." R. C. BRIGGLE, Editor Enterprise, Belleville, Mich.

Worn Out

"Hood's Sarsaparilla restored me to good health. Indeed, I might say truthfully it saved my life. To one feeling tired and worn out I would earnestly recommend a trial of Hood's Sarsaparilla." MRS. PIERRE MOSHER, 90 Brooks Street, East Boston, Mass.

N. B. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy anything else instead. Insist upon having

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

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52 GOVERNMENT ST. VICTORIA

EXAMINE THIS

List of fine property, among which may be found bottom prices for the close buyer, good investments for the speculator and choice residential sites for the builder.

NEW SUBDIVISION—JUST ON THE MARKET.

That fine piece of property on the Saanich Road, a few minutes' walk from the tram car, known as the Speed Homestead, has been subdivided into 36 full size lots, ranging in price from $600 to $800 for corners. Terms easy.

40 Acres Carey Road, nice land, 2½ miles from city, per acre	$ 200
25 Acres Carey Road, all cleared	0
Lot Fourth Street, Work Estate	650
Lot Garbally Road	750
Lot Dunedin Street	700
3 Fine Lots Langford Street, Victoria West	750
Nice House and Lot Pioneer Street	3,000
House and Lot on Cook Street, rents for $41 per month	4,600
House, 7 rooms, Victoria West	2,800
2 Corner Lots James Bay, each	750
Lot Douglas Street	2,200
1 Lot Broad Street, cheap.	
1 Acre Belcher Street	2,550
Fine Corner Douglas Street	32,000
3 Houses, 3 Lots, Frederick Street	10,000
2 Lots, fine corner, James Bay	2,500
Several nice Cottages to rent.	

Interest and Rents Collected.
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FIRST AND BEST

EXCURSION

—TO—

TACOMA

by the fast and favorite steamer OLYMPIAN, under the auspices of Pride of the West Lodge, Canadian Order Oddfellows, (M.U.)

SATURDAY, SEPT. 19

Excursionists will be afforded an opportunity of visiting the great Exposition, as the steamer will remain five hours at Tacoma.
Will leave Victoria at 7 a.m. sharp.
This will be the Excursion of the season.
Particulars later. se8-td

RACES---RACES

—AT—

VICTORIA DRIVING PARK.

FALL MEETING

1st, 2d and 3d October, 1891.

During Agricultural Exhibition Week.

$3000 IN PRIZES.

For programmes and further informs on apply to
W. H. BAINBRIDGE,
Secretary Victoria Jockey Club.
P.O. Box 286. se9td

VANCOUVER OPERA HOUSE

VANCOUVER, B.C.

The management have the honor to announce the appearance at the Vancouver Opera House, on

MONDAY AND TUESDAY EVENINGS,

Sept. 21st and 22nd, 1891,

—OF—

MME. SARA BERNHARDT

—THE—

World's Greatest Actress.

REDUCED FARES FROM VICTORIA.

Tickets and box plan at Opera House, Vancouver; or at Messrs. Kerr & Begg's bookstore, 45 Government street, Victoria.
BOX OFFICE NOW OPEN. se7

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Agricultural Association

Will hold their

ANNUAL EXHIBITION

In their new building, at

The Driving Park, Victoria, B.C.

—ON—

SEPT. 29 and 30, OCT. 1, 2 and 3.

SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS

EXTENSIVE PRIZE LIST.

Northwest Firemen's Association Tournament.

HORSE RACING. FIREWORKS.

SPORTS OF ALL KINDS.

A special steamer will leave New Westminster on Sunday, Sept. 27, at 8 a.m., landing at Cadboro Bay to deliver exhibits. All goods delivered free on the Exhibition grounds from Cadboro Bay landing.
Return fare at single rates and freight returned free on payment one way, on all C.P.N. Co.'s steamers, good from 26th September to 4th October, inclusive, from Vancouver, New Westminster, Chilliwhack and way ports.
W. H. BAINBRIDGE,
Asst. Sec. B.C.A.A.,
44 Broad street.
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LIVE STOCK BAZAAR

Fashion Stables, Fort Street.

AUCTION SALES

Will be held on the

Third Wednesday of Each Month,

AT 11 A.M.,

Commencing next Wednesday, Sept. 16,

Of Horses, Cattle and every variety of Live Stock, also Buggies, Wagons, Harness, Etc.

N.B.—Persons desirous of entering stock for sale should send in notice, soon as possible. Parties can have feed and stabling accommodation at moderate charges.
For further information apply to
CHARLES GREEN & CO.,
Auctioneers,
Or to
THOMAS BARLOW, 46 Yates street.
Proprietor. se10

NOTICE.

FOR SALE—Three young, large, American horses:—One bay, black points, three years old, 16 hands, weight 1225 lbs; one dark grey, 15 hands, three years old, weight 1050 lbs; one bay 2 years old 3rd October 1891, black points, weight 1050 lbs, is the largest two-year-old in B.C., 15 hands 3 inches. All out of heavy American draft mares; will make fine heavy team horses. Price $300 for the three. P. A. Hartman, Big Bar. se10-w-4t

COAL

The New Vancouver Coal Mining & Land Co., L'd.

(FORMERLY THE VANCOUVER COAL CO.),

ARE THE LARGEST COAL PRODUCERS ON THE PACIFIC COAST.

THE NANAIMO COAL (Used principally for Gas and Domestic Purposes).

THE SOUTH FIELD COAL (Steam Fuel).

THE NEW WELLINGTON COAL

House and Steam (Coal) are mined by this Company only.

THE "NANAIMO" COAL gives a large percentage of Gas, a high Illuminating Power unequalled by any other bituminous Gas Coal in the world, and a superior quality of Coke.

THE "SOUTH FIELD" COAL is now used by all the Leading Steamship Lines on the Pacific.

THE "NEW WELLINGTON" COAL, which was introduced early in the present year, has already become a favorite fuel for domestic purposes. It is a clean, hard coal, makes a bright and cheerful fire, and its lasting qualities make it the most economical fuel in the market.

The several Mines of the Company are connected with their Wharves at Nanaimo and Departure Bay, where ships of the largest tonnage are loaded at all states of the tide. Special dispatch is given to Mail and Ocean steamers.

SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
Superintendent.

Dec 30.

G. A. McTAVISH

FLORIST,

9 PARK ROAD,

HAS NOW READY

Pot Grown Strawberry Plants.

These if planted now, will give a full crop of Berries next year.

Bouquets & Floral Designs

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Cut Flowers Constantly on Hand.

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Plain Painting, Hardwood Finishing, Tinting, Paper Hanging and
WALL DECORATION OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
P. O. BOX 788.
Corner of Broad and Pandora streets, Victoria

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All Kinds of Chinese Help Furnished.

Cormorant street, Victoria, B.C.
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Makes Clothes White as Snow, Fresh as Sea Breezes, Sweet as Roses.

A perfect Cold Water, Hard Water and Hot Water Soap.

Unequalled for Washing Flannels and Woollens.

Makes Tin like Silver, Copper like Gold, Paint like New, Windows like Crystal.

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Promotes Healthy Homes.

Dirt cannot exist where PENDRAY'S SOAPS are used; they make the sweetest and healthiest homes.

Ask your Grocer for PENDRAY'S and see that you get it.

THE BEST CIGAR

In the Dominion:

THE PLUG HAT

Manufactured by

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MONTREAL. au31 1y

THE NEW

LIVERPOOL BAKERY

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Fancy Bread, Cake and Biscuit maker. Wedding Cakes made to order. Hotels, Restaurants and shipping supplied at very low prices.

H. C. LUCAS,
Proprietor.
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NEW JAPANESE GOODS

Just received

A large consignment, direct from Japan. The finest lot of Japanese goods in the city.

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150 GOVERNMENT ST.

R'Y WOOD YARD.

For Sixty Days from date we will sell first-class Cordwood at

$4.00, C.O.D.

Office 68 Yates street, and in the Railway Yard. Telephones 415 and 466.

W. A. BISSETT,
Agent.
jy15-1m

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

TO OUR PATRONS—The Victoria Electric Company purpose immediately entering upon an extension of their works by the erection of a new and commodious plant house and plant of large capacity, capable of accommodating the ever-increasing demand.
The new station will be located on Constance street, where, aided by superior facilities for the production of Light, Power, etc., combined with large output, they will be able to offer even better service, at a very materially reduced cost to consumers.
Pending the completion of these works, every effort will be made to continue the past reliable service, and to deal with patrons fairly. Any believing, however, that they have a grievance are invited to have the difficulty adjusted by presentation to the undersigned
LOUIS REDON,
President.

BELYEA & GREGORY,

BARRISTERS & SOLICITORS.

OFFICE:

White House Block, Victoria, B. C.
P. BOX 693.

JNO. T. PIERRE,

MERCHANT TAILOR AND DYER,

Has removed to his new block, Douglas Street, two doors south of City Hall.
au4-tf

FOR SALE

ON THE FRASER RIVER,

160 ACRES.

Good land, in Township 14, New Westminster District. For further particulars apply to
D. W. SUTHERLAND,
jy13-tf Mt. Lehman, B.C.

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

The Saanich road, from Market street to the City boundary, is again open for traffic.

JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.
Victoria, August 18th, 1891. au18

MR. FRANK B. FENWICK

F. S. Sc. London, Eng.; Organist and Choirmaster St. Andrew's Church; Vocal Teacher, Angela College.
Will give lessons at pupils residence only.
VOICE CULTURE A SPECIALTY.
Piano, Theory, and Concert Department. Ladies and gentlemen carefully prepared for concert and oratorio. Fees moderate. Address Box 448, Victoria. au30

JAMES L. RAYMUR,

ACCOUNTANT,

Auditor for Corporation City of Victoria.

Books made up, statements and balance sheets prepared, and a general accountant's business transacted. Address, City Hall, Victoria, B.C. aug13-1m

THOS. STOREY
Funeral Director & Embalmer
se9 42 and 44 Gov't St., Victoria. 1y

NEW WELLINGTON

COAL

This Coal, mined by The New Vancouver Coal Company by UNION LABOR only, is supplied by the following Coal Merchants, at current rates:

The Victoria Coal, Wood & Lumber Yard.

Charles Rattray, Janion's Wharf.

Rock Bay Coal Yard.

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"Nanaimo" Coal can be obtained from W. Drake.

SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
Superintendent.
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COAL -:- COAL

Best Wellington Coal at

WATSON'S COAL YARD

Opp. Russell's Station, - Victoria West.

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Ornamental Work for Buildings

A SPECIALTY.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I SHALL not be responsible for any debts contracted without my written authority.
W. F. TOLMIE.
Victoria, Sept. 2, 1891. se2-tf

A. MAXWELL MUIR,

ARCHITECT,

Rooms 3 and 18, - - - Turner Block.
ap22

C. B. LOCKART & CO.,

Funeral Directors and Embalmers.

PARLORS: Corner of Broad street and Trounce Avenue. au18

MUNICIPAL.

Notice is hereby given that the Deluge Fire Engine House property on Yates Street will be sold by Public Auction on Tuesday, 15th day of September inst., at the City Hall, at 11 a.m., in accordance with the provisions of the "Deluge Fire Engine House Sale By-Law," No. 2. The Corporation to retain free possession of the said property until the 1st day of January, 1892.
By order,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.
City Hall, 1st Sept., 1891. se7

FRANCIS BOURCHIER,
Real Estate Broker.

TEMPORARY OFFICE, ROOMS 4 AND 5, REDFERN BLOCK
GOVERNMENT STREET.

TO DEPOSITORS
The British Columbia Land & Investment Agency, Ld.
(SUCCESSORS TO ALLSOP & MASON.)

In view of the low rate of interest given by the Dominion Savings Bank Department, and the restrictions imposed as to the amount to be deposited, this Company is now prepared to receive money on deposit, in large or small amounts, at interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on favorable terms as to notice, etc.

The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.
Dec. 30.

PAGE & MacGREGOR.
PAGE & MacGREGOR,
18 TROUNCE AVENUE 18

$500—A good building lot, corner Oak and Fort streets, on car line and water main.
$300—Large lot, Richmond avenue, 60x120.
$350—Lot on Beacon street, near Park.
$400—Will buy you a good level lot, no rock, on Oak street, off Fort.
$3000—For house and lot, corner Fernwood and Edmonton roads. Bargain. Why pay rent?
$1400—The last two lots, corner Oak Bay and MacGregor avenues. Charming site.
$2650—Three lots, corner Leighton and Dudley avenues, 155x168, with 7-roomed house and woodshed, barn, etc. First-class well 18 ft., spring water the year round, with force pump, etc. Call and get particulars.
$25 per month—You can rent a nice house, Victoria West, near car line.

$4700—A fine residence on Discovery street, with all modern conveniences. A very commanding site and cheap.
$2000—Just completed a snug 2-story house on car line and water main, with bath etc., on terms that beat all other offers. Enquire of P. & M.
We also offer some good bargains in acreage property.

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The Federal Life Assurance Co. of Hamilton.
The British America Fire Assurance Co.
Dominion Building and Loan Association of Toronto.
J. W. Winnett, Local Manager.

NOTARIES PUBLIC FOR B. C.

MONEY TO LOAN IN LARGE OR SMALL SUMS AT LOWEST CURRENT RATES.

WEATHER REPORT.

VICTORIA, B. C., September 11, 1891.
Corrected by M. F. C. Gamble, C. E.

Time	Ther'tr	Bar.	Wind	Remarks.
4 p.m.	59.0	30.12	SSE	Cloudy
6 p.m.	57.0	30.12	SE by S	"
8 p.m.	55.0	30.10	"	Foggy
6 a.m.	53.0	30.04	W by W	"
8 a.m.	54.0	30.05	SE	Raining

Temperature—Highest, 59, lowest, 53.
Rain—.17 in.

TIDE RECORD—VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.
For 24 hours ending 4 p.m. Sept. 11, 1891.
Reduced to Ordinary Low Water Spring Tides.
Note.—Water does not fall below datum: June 10 and 11, 1891.
Highest, 10.16 above datum, Dec. 27, 1890.

THURSDAY, Sept. 10.				FRIDAY, Sept. 11.			
	a.m.	Tide ft above datum.	p.m.	Tide ft above datum.	a.m.	Tide ft above datum.	p.m.	Tide ft above datum.
1	6.16	8	7.25	1	3.01	8	4.75
2	6.[illegible]	9	6.[illegible]	2	2.[illegible]	9	5.[illegible]
3	7.25	10	5.66	3	2.66	10	5.7[illegible]
4	7.[illegible]	11	4.6[illegible]	4	2.75	11	6.05
5	7.75	12	3.75	5	2.[illegible]	12	7.05
6	7.[illegible]			6	3.42	1	7.08
7	7.75			7	4.0[illegible]		

WHAT'S AND WAVE.

Doings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Steamer Walla Walla took to San Francisco to-day 1500 cases of salmon.

Steamer Rainbow left to-day for the logging camps and intermediate points.

Steamer Princess Louise will leave on Sunday at 6 p.m. on a special trip to Bella Coola and Rivers Inlet only.

Steamer Thistle arrived at Vancouver this morning from the north with a cargo of salmon for Bell-Irving & Patterson. As soon as her cargo is discharged she will proceed to the Fraser River to load produce for Victoria.

Steamer Islander left this afternoon for Nanaimo via Vancouver, and will return to-morrow. As will be seen by advertisement in another column she will leave Sunday for Fort Simpson and all intermediate ports, excepting Rivers Inlet and Bella Bella. She will sail from Esquimalt inner wharf at 12 noon.

After all, the best way to know the real merit of Hood's Sarsaparilla, is to try it yourself. Be sure to get Hood's

VANCOUVER ISLAND BUILDING SOCIETY.

The 51st drawing for an appropriation in the Vancouver Island Building Society will be held in Sir Wm. Wallace Society's Hall, Broad street, on Friday evening, the 18th inst., at 8 o'clock.

See that your shares are in good standing.

B. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 11, 1891. td

All broken lines boots and shoes must be cleaned out to make room for new goods. Carmichael & Patterson, 35 Johnson street.

BIRTH.

ESTES.—On the 11th instant, of consumption, Annie Elizabeth Estes, a native of Victoria, aged 25 years.

The funeral will take place on Sunday at 2 o'clock from the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital.

DIED.

LEMON.—On the 10th instant, Stephen James, only son of James and Isabella Lemon, aged 8 months.

The funeral will take place on Saturday at half-past two o'clock from the parents' residence, 140 Chatham street, and at St. Barnabas church at 2.45 p.m.

Friends are invited to attend.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FIREMEN'S BALL

Under the Auspices of the Northwestern Firemen's Association,
—AT—
Assembly Hall, Fort Street,
—ON—
TUESDAY EVENING, SEPT. 29.

Tickets, admitting Gentleman and Lady, $2.50.
sell-td

AN APOLOGY.

I hereby publicly state that I was entirely mistaken in accusing a certain gentleman of disturbing my domestic relations, and hereby tender him a public apology for my hasty and unmerited expressions. W. J. INCE.
Nanaimo Sept 10. Sept 10 2t

Notice to Contractors, Builders &c.

Tenders will be received on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty until noon on Tuesday the 22nd September, for the following items, viz:

1. Renewing roof covering of factory.
2. Cook house &c., for artificers.

Specifications can be seen at the office of the Clerk of Works in this yard.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Tenders to be endorsed "Works."

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper, &c.
Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, September 10th, 1891.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

VICTORIA THEATRE.

Monday & Tuesday, Sept. 14 & 15
Engagement of the Eminent Comedian
MR. SOL SMITH
RUSSELL
In his Latest and Greatest Play,
"PEACEFUL VALLEY,"
Supported by
A COMPANY OF FIFTEEN ARTISTS.
The Great Delineator's Masterpiece

PRICES:

Parquette	$1.50
Dress Circle	1.00
Gallery	.50

SEATS AT WAITT'S. sell

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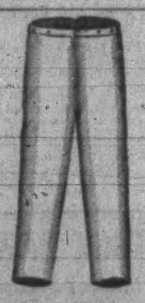

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